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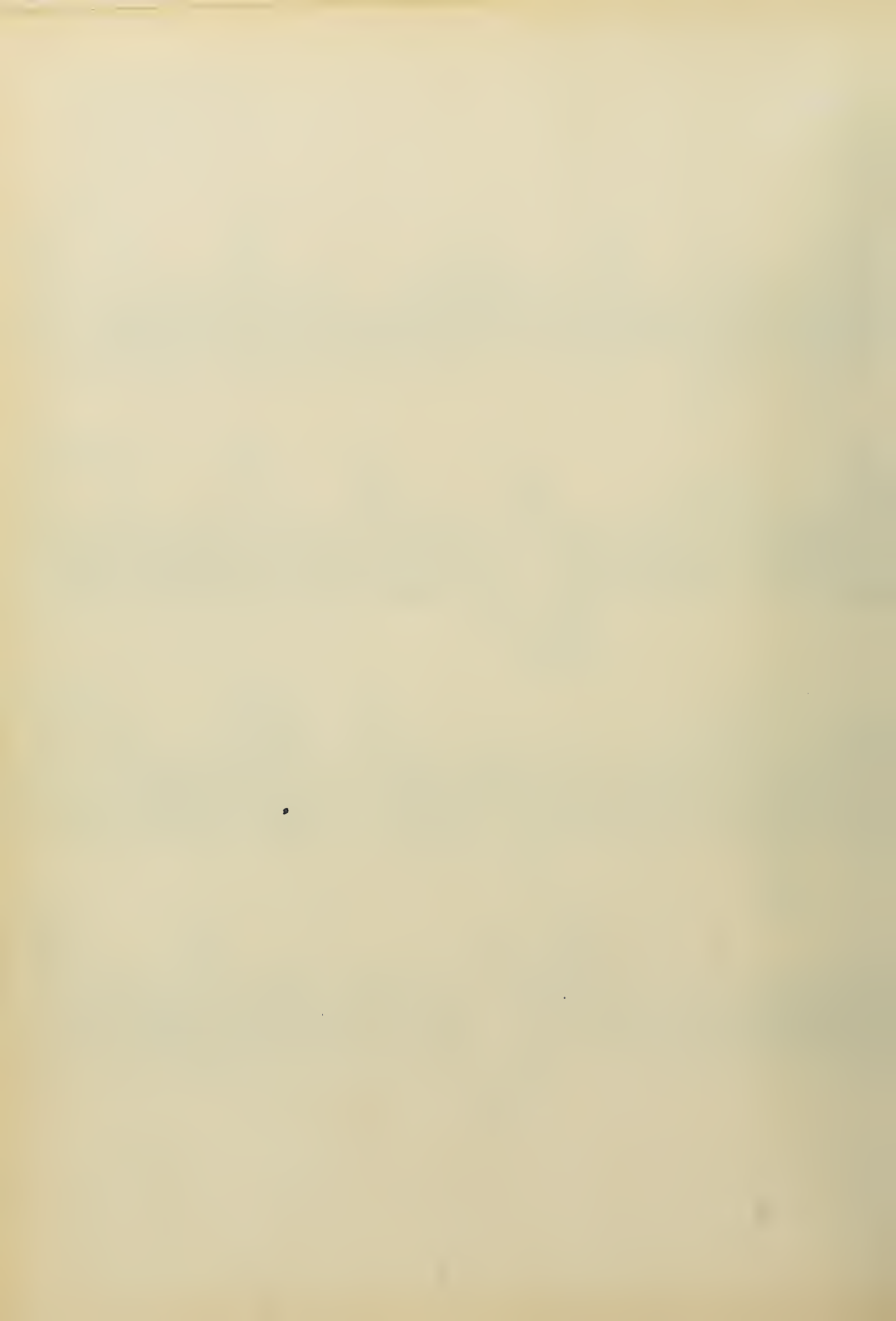
Books are gates to

Books are paths to

Books are friends

GUIDANCE OFFICE
Senior High School
Norwood, Mass.

*Wisdom's treasure,
Lands of pleasure,
It upward lead,
Come let us read.*



Foreword

Our first steps faltering, our next taken with mounting assurance, we, the class of 1956, have gradually climbed to the first exalted place on the ladder of learning. With perseverance and determination, we have climbed steadily, round by round, keeping as our goal the attainment of wisdom, knowledge and a philosophy of life. With the realization that our success has been dependent upon establishing a firm foothold, we have ascended carefully, not into empty space, but upon the security of each step. The rungs on this ladder of learning have been each book which has yielded to us the richness of its store.

Although the art of reading is apparently becoming almost lost in the rush and bustle of this electronic age which has brought with it the new media of radio, television, and motion pictures, the magic of the printed word has lost none of its power. With the hope that through a revival of this art, we may utilize each rung on the ladder of learning to its fullest advantage, we have chosen "BOOKS" as the theme of our 1956 TIOT. We earnestly hope that you will forever cherish this product of our labors, and that it will always bring fondest memories of the genuine happiness enjoyed in your three years "on the hill!" We, the editors, present to you the last book of your carefree youth and the first book of your maturity.

*"For books are more than books; they are the life,
The very heart and core of ages past,
The reason why men lived and worked and died,
The essence and quintessence of their lives."*





*Norwood High School
Norwood, Massachusetts*



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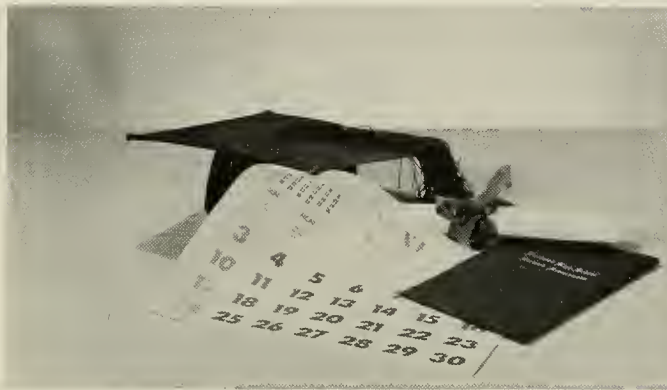
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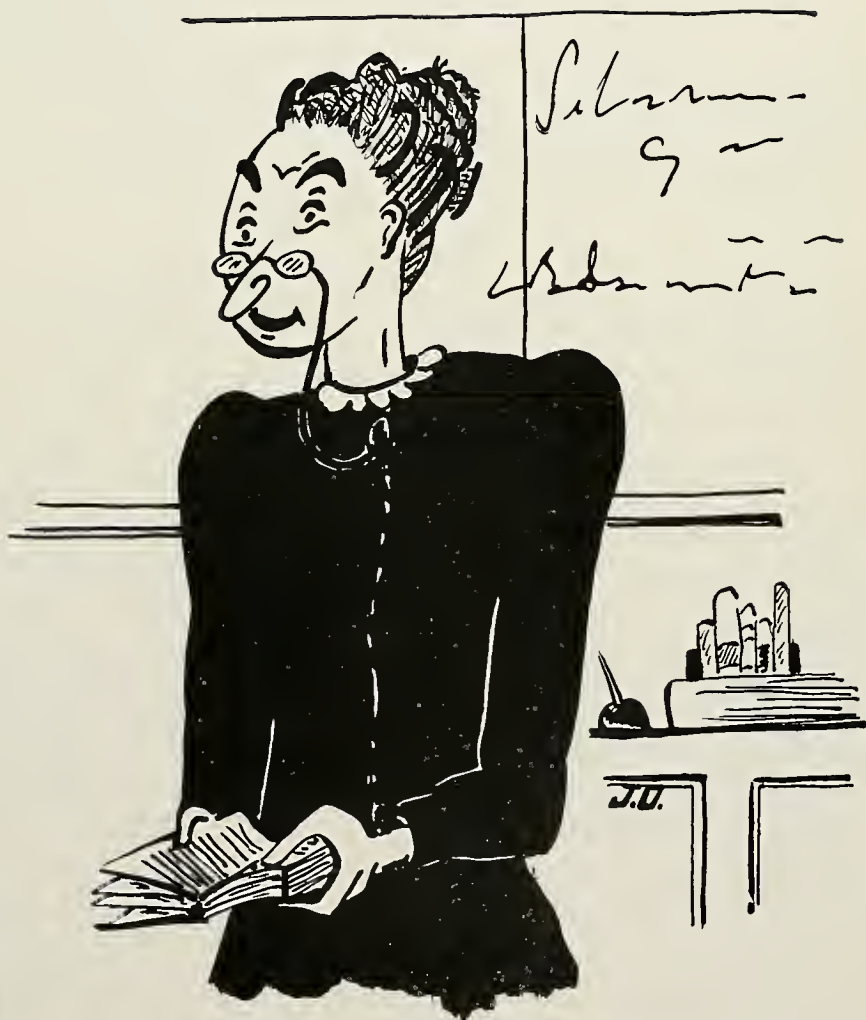
Since our theme this year is BOOKS, it seems eminently fitting that the 1956 yearbook be dedicated to one who has done so much in encouraging youth to cultivate an appreciation of literature. His untiring efforts to make the Norwood School System one of the finest in the state, and his sincere interest in bettering education have made him an outstanding figure in our community. As with all dedicated individuals, only time can measure the value of his contributions, but we propose to do our small part in honoring him by dedicating the 1956 Yearbook to our Superintendent of Schools, Mr. Lincoln D. Lynch. J. J. D.



SUPERINTENDENT LINCOLN D. LYNCH

"In the best books, great men talk to us, give us their most precious thoughts and pour their souls into ours."

Faculty



*“Here’s an adventure! What awaits
Beyond these closed, mysterious gates?
Whom shall I meet, where shall I go?
Beyond the lovely land I know?
Above the sky, across the sea?
What shall I learn and feel and be?
Open, strange doors, to good or ill!
I hold my breath a moment still
Before the magic of your look.
What will you do to me, O book?”*

Administration



SUPERINTENDENT LINCOLN D. LYNCH



SCHOOL COMMITTEE

Seated: Mrs. Hemman; Mr. Thompson; Miss Blanchot, Chairman; Mr. Lynch, Superintendent; Miss Syverson, Clerk. Standing: Mr. Cavanaugh, Mr. Nelson, Mr. Reynolds, Mr. Kiley.

Administration



PRINCIPAL CHARLES A. HAYDEN

Administration



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Applied Chemistry—Biology
Coach of J.V. Football



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Submaster
Vocational Science
Commercial Geography



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Gracious Living



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Biology



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F.T.A. Advisor
Algebra



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Business Training
Shorthand
Typewriting



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Biology
Chemistry
Photography Club Advisor



MR. JOHN LEVITSKY
Art Department
Coach of J.V. Baseball



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Latin
Yearbook Advisor

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MISS MARGUERITE ELLIOTT



Chairman of Junior Advisors
Head of History Department
Social Studies

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Algebra
Geometry
English

MR. JOHN J. FLAHERTY

English
Hilltop Highlights Advisor
Coach of Dramatics



MR. JAMES J. GORMLEY

Economics
U.S. History
Faculty Manager of Athletics



MR. D. VINCENT
KENEFICK

World History
U.S. History
Problems of Democracy

MISS MILDRED METCALF

Latin
French

MISS MARY COUGHLIN

Typewriting
Stenography
General Business Training



Sophomore Advisors

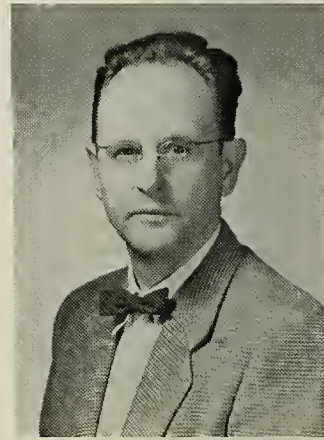
MISS GRACE C. McGONAGLE



Chairman of Sophomore Advisors
Head of Commercial Department
Business Subjects
Staff Council



MISS RUTH M. JOHNGREN
Head of Foreign Language
Department
French
Spanish
Tennis Coach



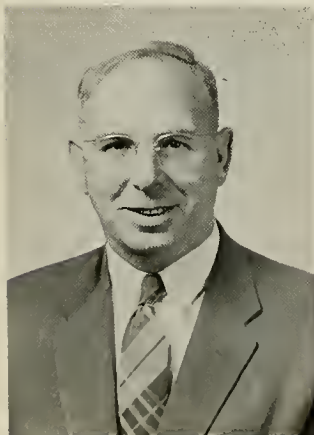
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LEARNARD
Head of Science Department
Physics
Chemistry
Biology
Visual Education
Golf Coach



MISS CATHERINE A.
COLEMAN
English
Staff Council



MISS ELIZABETH
O'SULLIVAN
Head of English Department
English



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Driver Education
Sophomore Safety



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Algebra
Geometry
Vocational Mathematics

Special Advisors



MR. ORLANDO M. SCAFARI
Head of Physical Education
Department, Coach of Athletics



MR. JOHN B. KELLEY
School Treasurer, Bookkeeping,
Consumers' Mathematics, Voca-
tional Mathematics, Commercial
Law.



MR. CLIFFORD H. WHEELER
Director of Boys' Vocational
School, Mechanical Drawing



MR. RAYMOND F. FLECK
Music Director, Orchestra, Glee
Club



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English, U.S. History, Student
Council Advisor



MR. LEWIE G. LUGTON
Boys' Vocational Shop



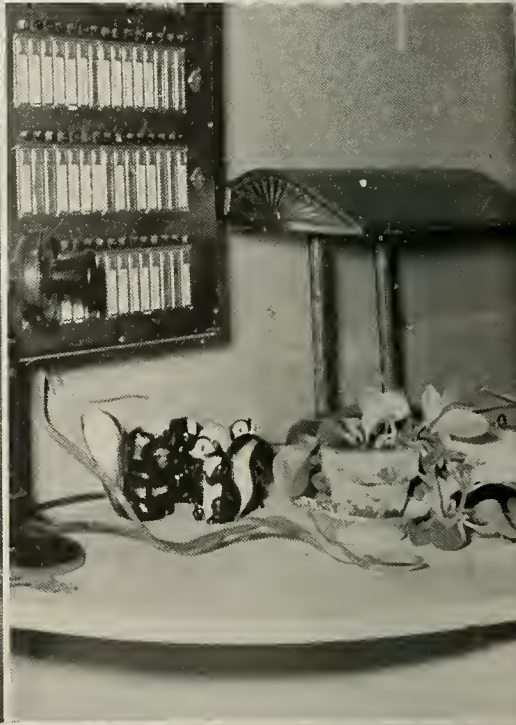
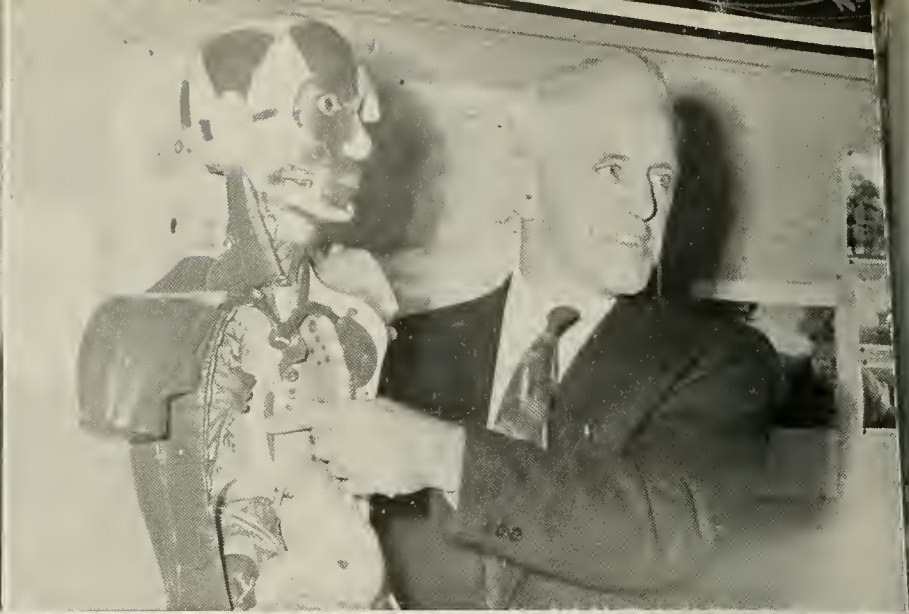
MR. GEORGE FARNHAM
Band Director

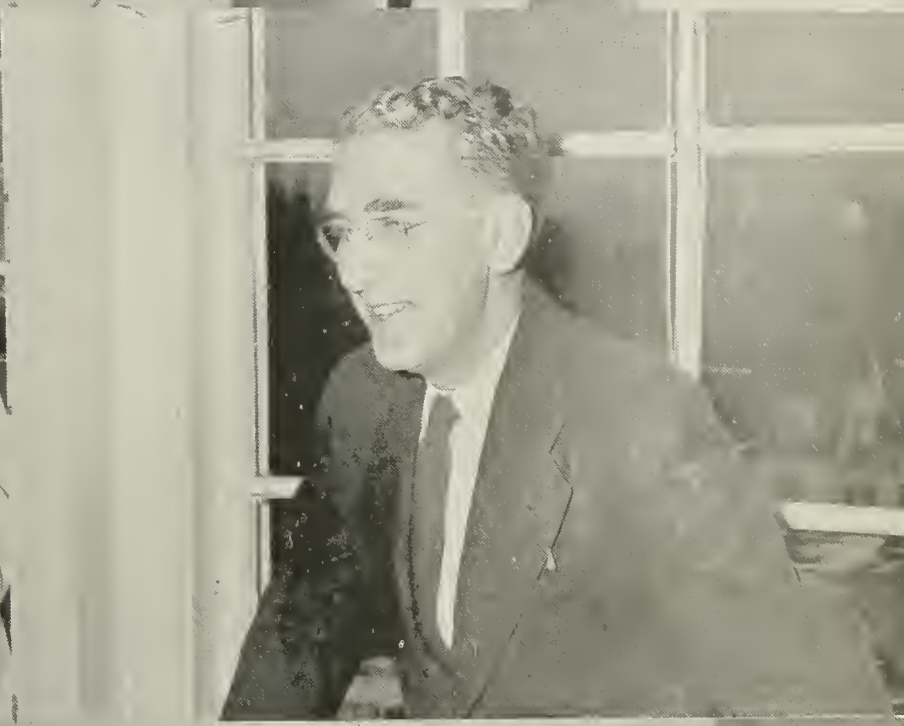
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MISS ERNA KILEY
Physical Education

MISS AGNES BRIDGES
Head of Home Economics
Department

MISS LUCY STEELE
Home Economics

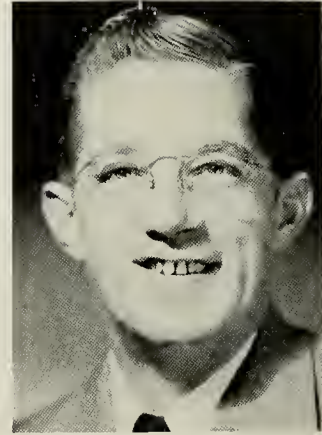




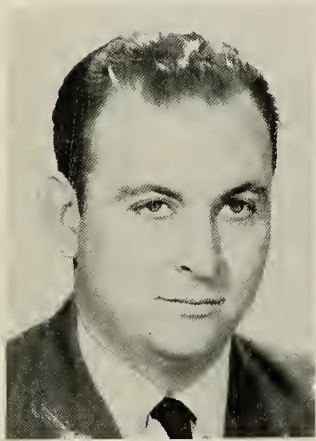
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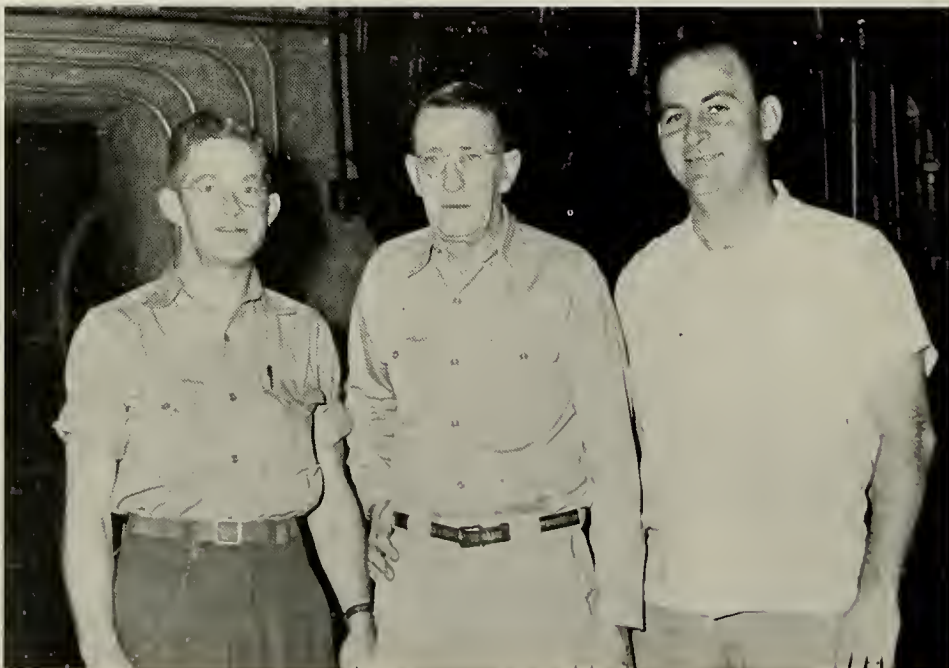
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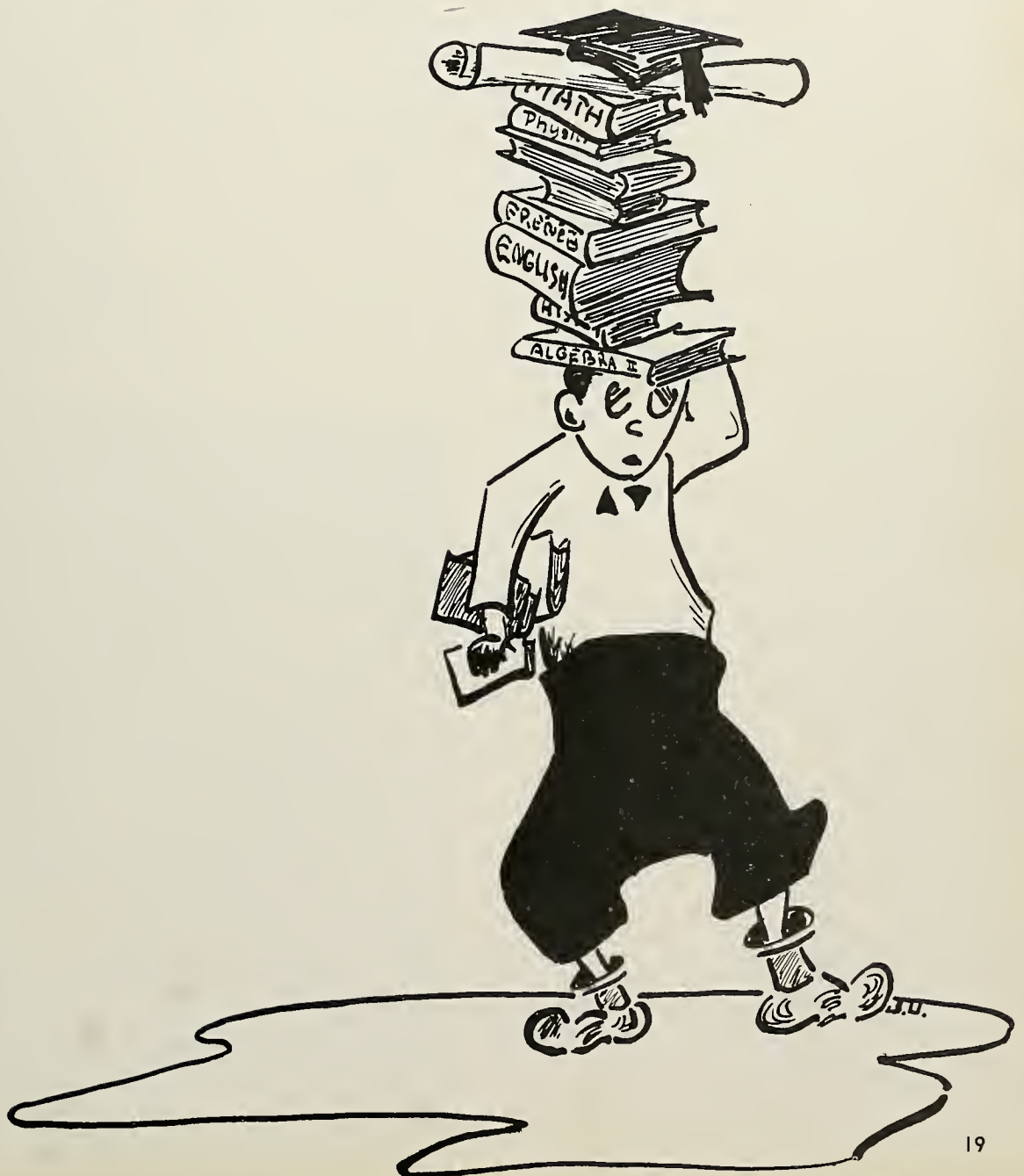
MR. JAMES CURRAN



MR. THOMAS P. THORNTON



Seniors



*“Books! Books! Books!
And we thank Thee, God
For the gift of them,
For the glorious reach
And the lift of them,
For the gleam in them
And the dream in them,
For the things they teach
And the souls they reach,
For the maze in them
And the blaze in them,
For the ways they open to us
And the rays they shoot through us.”*

History of Our Years at Norwood High

Our Sophomore Year . . . We Open the Book of Our Memories.

Ever so long ago, when we were very young, we looked up to the Senior High School students with awe and admiration, wondering if the day would ever come when we would be full-fledged members of the "school on the hill."

When in September of '53, that long awaited day arrived, we could hardly believe it. But here we were at Norwood High, officially known as Sophomores, anticipating three long years of fun, hard work, and memorable experiences.

After our class officers were elected in October, we were very proud that we had chosen John Anderson as our President; Kathleen McGuff, Vice President; Jean Schaier, Secretary; Diana Laakso, Girls' Treasurer; Paul Butters, Boys' Treasurer; Marilyn Hutchings, Girls' A.A. Representative; and Gerald Armstrong, Boys' A.A. Representative.

Later in the month, we held our first social gathering of the year, our Sophomore Party. The gymnasium was gaily decorated in the traditional fall colors. We had a variety of entertainers: Jean Schaier and Ann Mercier played selections on the piano; Judith Howard and Janice Johnson tap-danced; a very amusing pantomime skit was given with Joan Thompson, Elaine Johnson and Edward Maher taking the main parts; Bobby Schuller and his orchestra provided music for dancing, and everyone sang, danced, and made merry. The refreshments were delightful and a wonderful time was had by all.

In December, we presented a Christmas assembly for the upper class members and the faculty. Our program consisted of Christmas songs, Bible readings, Yuletide poems and selections by our Sophomore Glee Club. We will never forget the beautiful rendition of "Silent Night" by Nancy Kilcup and Diane Strout.

During the rest of the year, we remained very active in school activities and we

had a hand in many of the important events that took place. In May, we elected Emilie Sullivan to represent us on the cheering squad during our Junior year

Before we knew it, our Sophomore year had drawn to a close, and we found ourselves looking ahead with satisfaction to the fall of '54 and the next chapter in our lives at Norwood High.

N. S. '56

"Books are windows through which we may see the panorama of events, past, present, and future."



OUR OFFICERS AS SOPHOMORES—
Front: Butters, Hutchings, Armstrong. Rear:
Laakso, Anderson, McGuff, Schaier.

Hobgoblin



Hop

October 29, 1953



Moonlight Serenade

February 11, 1955







OUR CLASS OFFICERS AS JUNIORS

Conley, Sastavickas, Foley, Hutchings, Laakso, Schaier, Butters

OUR JUNIOR YEAR—*Chapter Two of our Reminiscences.*

September 1954 crept in swiftly behind the fading skirts of August and it was time again to resume our High School days.

To pilot us through our second important year on the "Hill," we chose Coleman Foley our President; Marjorie Sastavickas, Vice-President; Jean Schaier, Secretary; Diana Laakso, Girls' Treasurer; Paul Butters, Boys' Treasurer; Marilyn Hutchings and Paul Conley, A.A. Representatives.

In December, we received the Christmas gift of being the first class to wear the new, permanent class ring of Norwood High.

We held our Junior Prom on the very rainy night of February 11th. In accordance with our theme song, "Moonlight Serenade," the gym was transformed into a lovely ballroom, gaily decorated with streamers and silhouettes. The dance music, the filmy dresses, the lovely corsages, and romantic atmosphere of our Promenade made it an occasion to be long remembered and cherished by us all.

Early in June, the Harvard Book was awarded to Timothy Lynch as the most outstanding boy in our class. Eleanor Stitt won the medal for excellence in History which is awarded annually to the Senior or Junior who excels in that subject. James Drumme, John O'Connor, and Richard Ellis were our capable representatives to Boys' State. Meredith Marsh won first prize in the annual Chamber of Commerce Essay Contest.

Shortly after the third term, the new honor-roll was posted for the first time. Those who received first honors were: Adele Antonitis, Mary Dowd, Cinda Eisnor, Ruth Flood, Elaine Johnson, Joanne Lipinsky, Timothy Lynch, Meredith Marsh, Olivia Russell, Nancy Sansone, Jean Schaier, Eleanor Stitt, Joan Thompson, Janice Young.

Early in June we honored the graduating Seniors with the Class Day reception. Although there was, as always, a sad note in witnessing their departure, we nevertheless happily anticipated the coming year with its many privileges and responsibilities. N.S. '56

"Books are the treasured wealth of the world, the fit inheritance of generations and nations."

Senior Class History

OUR SENIOR YEAR—WE LINGER OVER THE LAST PAGES

September 19, 1955. The day we had been waiting for. This was to be our year. We were now at the top of the ladder, we were Seniors and the "V.I.Ps" of Norwood High.

Upon our return to school, we were surprised and pleased with the re-decorating that had been done during the summer. The soft pastels, pretty blues and greens, gave our school a new look and a lovelier interior appearance to conform with its outer beauty. After the first few chaotic weeks, we finally settled down with the anticipation of having a tremendously busy and exciting year.

We again elected Coleman Foley as our President to pilot us through our last and most important year at the "Hill" Our other class officers were: Emily Sullivan, Vice- President; Frances Ryder, Secretary; Diana Laakso and Paul Butters, Treasurers; Marilyn Hutchings and Paul Conley, A.A. Representatives.

The perseverance and never-say-die spirit of our football team were the main factors that made us so very proud of them. In the traditional Turkey Day game, the team, under the leadership of captains John Corbett and Richard Ellis, chalked up Norwood's fifth straight victory over Dedham by a score of 12 to 6. Our cheerleaders, Emilie Sullivan, Captain; Barbara Fruci, Marilyn Hutchings, Frances Ryder, Nancy Sansone, Marjorie Sastavickas, and Junior Leslie Novick deserve a big hand for the wonderful pep, energy and spirit they exhibited during the football season.

November was also picture-taking time for Seniors. How can we ever forget how handsome our boys looked in their best suits and how lovely the girls were in their pretty sweaters and blouses?

We presented our Class Play, "Father Knows Best," on December 9th, in the Junior High Auditorium. Showers of praise fell to Nancy Kilcup, Donald Everberg, Joan Thompson, and John Anderson when the curtain came down at the end of the final act. The other cast members, Robert McLaughlan, Carole Rogan, Marcia Feeney, Bruce King, Eleanor Stitt, Meredith Marsh, Diana Laakso, and Roger McLeod rate an honorable mention for the excellent job they did in carrying out their roles. To Mr. Flaherty, we would like to express our thanks for his wonderful direction of our play. We know that it will be many a year before a play such as ours will be equaled.

Captains John O'Connor and Ralph Generazzo led our basketball team to second place in the Bay State League. Shortly after, John O'Connor and Martin Kuperatz were selected to represent Norwood on the Bay State League All Star Team.

Our hockey team, not to be outdone, had a glorious season at the Arena. We shall never forget Captains Michael Kelley and Coleman Foley and the wonderful sportmanship they displayed, or our other representatives on the All-Star Team, Paul Abely and Henry Valentinas.

Our operetta, "A Waltz Dream," was presented on April 27th. It was a very timely love story, set in the magic land of Sylvania. The top roles were played by Nancy Kilcup, Donald Everburg, Lorna Hertzberg, Coleman Foley, Ann Mercier, Richard Ellis, Diane Strout, John Corbett, Enola Knapp, Paul McCready and Robert McLaughlan. Both Mr. Flaherty and Mr. Fleck deserve great credit for their untiring efforts to make the operetta the great success that it was.

May 18th—the night of our Prom—a night never to be forgotten. The novel decorations, dreamy music, beautiful gowns and lovely corsages set a scene of romantic atmosphere, gaiety and merriment.

Today, Class Day will be followed by banquet and graduation in all too rapid succession. Before we leave the hallowed halls of the hilltop school, we would like our principal, Mr. Hayden, our head advisor, Miss McCormack, all our Senior advisors, and the other members of the faculty who have borne with us for three long years, to know how deeply we appreciate their instruction, advice, and interest.

We must express special words of praise to our president, Coleman Foley, to Timothy Lynch for his expert direction of the Student Council under Miss Hubbard's advisorship, to Mrs. Riley and the yearbook editors who labored long hours to make our yearbook an exact pictorial account of our High School days.

And now the Class of '56 departs, filled with happy memories of their high school days, confident in the future, and ready and willing to face its challenges.

N. C. S. '56

"Education begins the gentleman; but reading, good company and reflection must finish him."



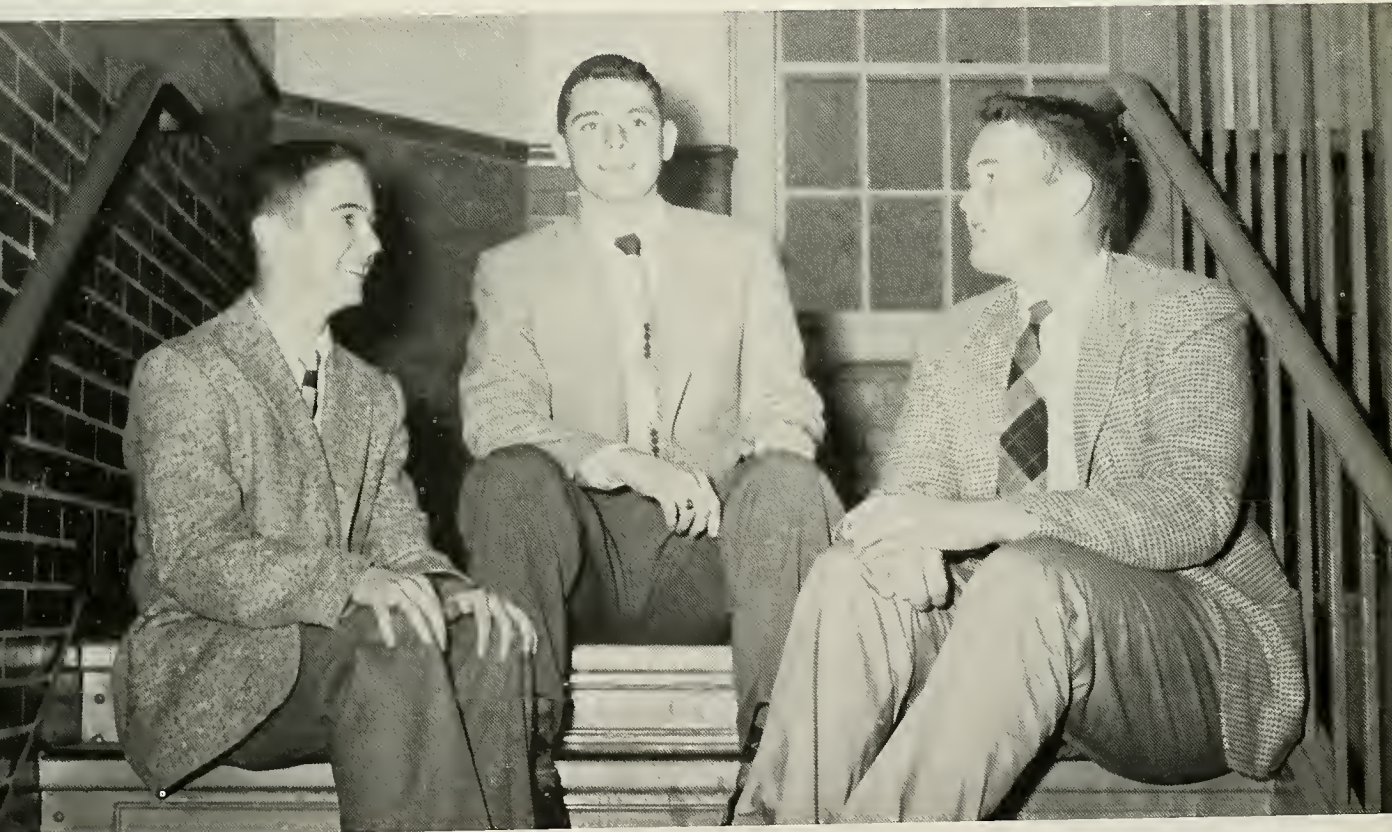
NANCY SANSONE
Class Historian



1956 OFFICERS—Senior Year

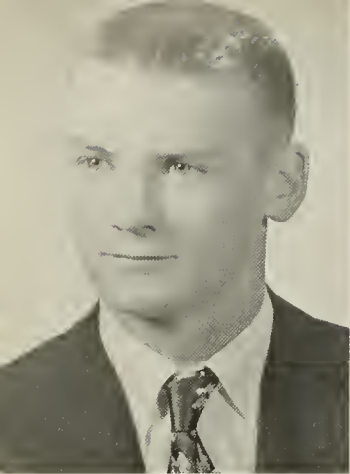
They Steered Us Straight

Butters, Laakso, Sullivan, Foley, Hutchings, Ryder, Conley



The Big Ones in Our Book

DRUMMEY.....	Yearbook Editor
FOLEY.....	Senior Class President
LYNCH.....	Student Council President



ABELY, PAUL JOSEPH

38 Railroad Avenue

Junior Prom Committee; Sophomore Party Committee; Senior Musicales; Football Dance Committee; Baseball 1, 2, 3; Football 1, 2; Intramural Basketball 1, 2, 3; Hockey 1, 2, 3.

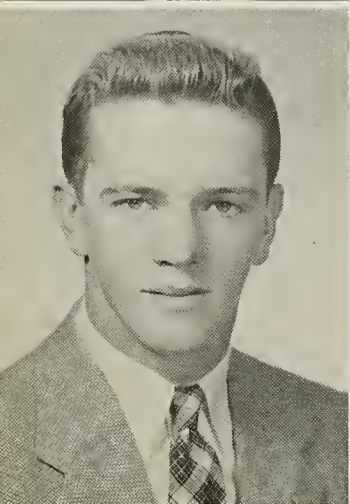
A good-looking versatile athlete . . . lighthearted and easy-going; a welcome addition at a party.

ALLBEE, CHARLES

14 Sycamore St.

Sophomore Party Committee; Junior Prom Committee; Senior Musicales; Football Dance Committee; Projection Club 1; Basketball 1, 2; Football 1, 2, 3.

Tall and lanky . . . happy-go-lucky . . . would much rather drive around in his car than go to school.



ALT, DAVID THOMAS

55 Monroe St.

Sophomore Party Committee; Senior Prom Committee; Senior Musicales; Football Dance Committee; Football 1, 2, 3; Hockey 1, 2, 3.

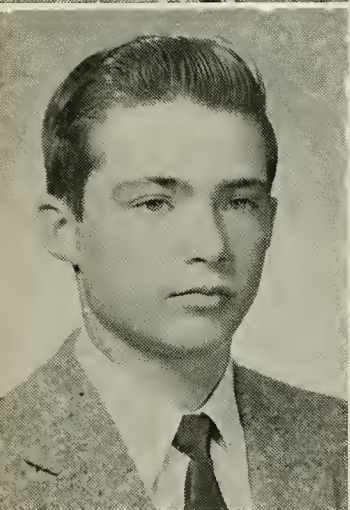
Well-groomed appearance . . . a rugged competitor in football and hockey . . . likable personality.

ANDERSON, HERBERT WILLIAM

11 Victoria Circle

Sophomore Party Committee; Junior Prom Committee; Senior Musicales; Glee Club 3; Photography Club 1; Golf 1; Bulletin Board Committee.

One of the "Hot Rod" boys . . . car engines are no puzzle to this speedster . . . he loves motion.



ANDERSON, JOHN ALFRED

24 Brierwood Lane

Sophomore Party Committee; Junior Prom Committee; Traffic Squad; Class Officer 1; Class Play Cast; Senior Musicales; Glee Club 3; Projection Club 2; Election Commission 3.

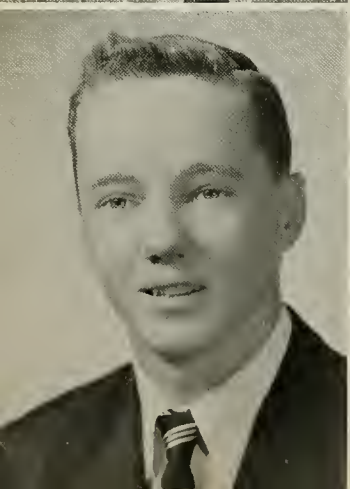
A competent student . . . an excellent speaker . . . often seen cruising around in his yellow convertible.

ANTONITIS, ADELE CATHERINE

8 Pleasant Place

Hilltop Highlights 3; Junior Prom Committee; Senior Prom Committee; Class Play Committee; Senior Musicales; Year-book Business Committee.

Sweet and demure . . . meticulously well-groomed . . . Adele is quietly congenial.



ARMSTRONG, GERALD ROBERT

189 Roosevelt Ave.

Sophomore Christmas Committee; Junior Prom Committee; Class officer 1; Senior Musicales; Football Dance Committee; Glee Club 1, 2; Baseball 1, 2, 3; Basketball 1, 2, 3; Football 1, 2, 3.

A mischievous personality . . . instigator of many hilarious antics . . . center of attraction.

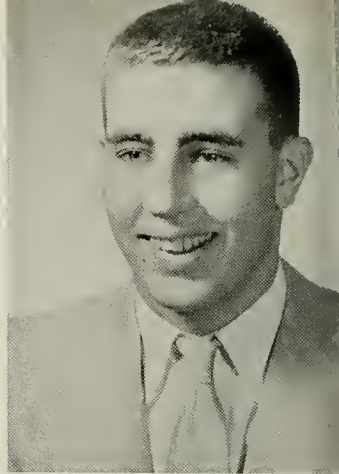
AUCIELLO, MARIE ANN

71 Highview Street

Sophomore Party Committee; Senior Prom Committee; Senior Musicales; Football Dance Committee.

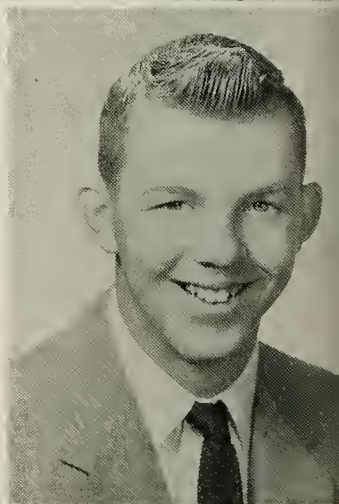
Considerate and companionable . . . fortunate will be the business world when competent Marie steps into the picture.

"CLEM"



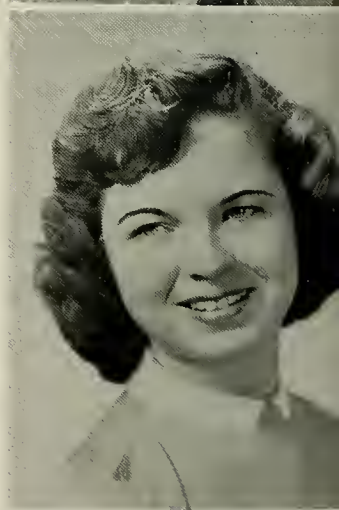
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"DAVE"



"HERBIE"

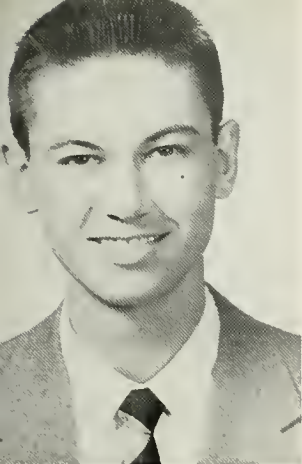
"DEL"



"JERRY"

"REE"





AURETTO, ANTHONY

21 St. George Ave.

Sophomore Party Committee; Sophomore Christmas Committee; Senior Musicales; Baseball 1, 2, 3; Basketball 1, 2, 3; Football 1; Intramural Basketball 1, 2, 3.

Tall and ever-smiling . . . popular with everyone . . . a mainstay on the court and the diamond.

BAGLEY, JAMES SUMNER

5 Stone Circle

Sophomore Party Committee; Sophomore Christmas Committee; Class Day '55; Traffic Squad; Senior Musicales; Football Programs 3; Projection Club 1; Track 1.

Scholarly and personable . . . goodnatured and friendly . . . an able track enthusiast.



BALDUF, LOIS

121 Wilson Street

Sophomore Christmas Committee; Traffic Squad; Senior Prom Committee; Senior Musicales; Yearbook Circulation Committee; Glee Club 1; FTA 1, 2, 3.

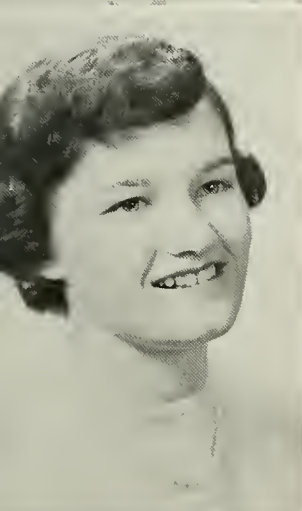
Pert and pretty Lois's joie de-vivre has captured our hearts at N.H.S. . . . she's as merry as Christmas and as unpredictable as the weather.

BARRON, EDWARD CHESTER

20 Weld Ave.

Sophomore Party Committee; Junior Prom Committee; Senior Prom Committee; Senior Musicales; Basketball 1; Intramural Basketball 1, 2, 3.

A carefree jokester . . . school is a minor issue to Sonny . . . basketball holds his attention.



BENJAMIN, MARY CATHERINE

230 Lenox St.

Sophomore Christmas Committee; Class Day '55; Senior Musicales; Glee Club 1, 2; Halloween Party Committee 3; Peabody Prom Committee; Christmas Pageant 2, 3; Dancing Club 3.

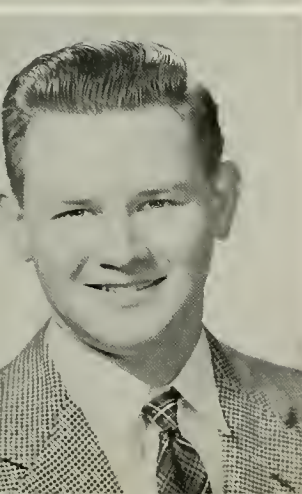
Captivating air, engaging smile, and a sprinkling of freckles add to the charm of this little hairdresser.

BENNETT, DAVID CLYDE

100 Vernon St.

Sophomore Christmas Committee; Class Day '55; Class Play Cast; Glee Club 1, 2, 3; Projection Club 1, 2, 3; Senior Musicales.

Mountain-sized . . . a member of the well-known boys' quartette . . . rough and tumble in any sport.



BENOIT, CLIFFORD

42 Margaret St.

Sophomore Party Committee; Senior Prom Committee; Senior Musicales; Glee Club 1; Projection Club 1, 2; Track 1; Intramural Basketball 1, 2, 3.

Big and amiable . . . a sportsman who enjoys the wide open spaces . . . a reliable worker and friend.

BERGLUND, LOUISE ELLEN

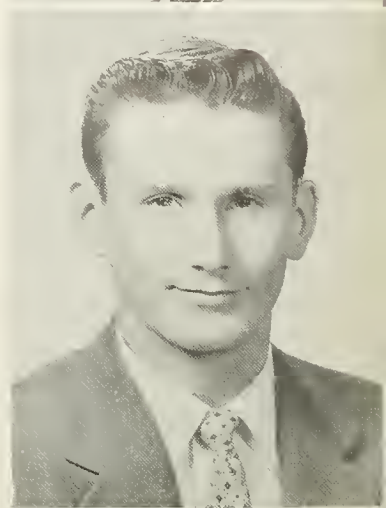
596 Neponset St.

Student Council 1; Junior Prom Committee; Traffic Squad; Class Play Committee; Senior Musicales; Yearbook Advertising Staff; Glee Club 1, 2, 3; Election Commission 2, 3; FTA 1, 2, 3.

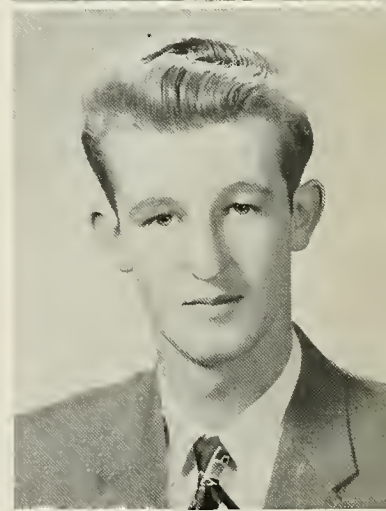
A tall, willowy figure always attractively attired . . . a magnetic personality which has won her a host of friends.



"TONY"



"LO"



"MONNIE"



"CLIFF"

"LUIGI"



BLOOM, ARLENE ANNE "AL"
173 Roosevelt Avenue

Junior Prom Committee; Class Day '55; Senior Prom Committee; Ticket Seller 2; Senior Musicales; Glee Club 3; Bulletin Board Committee.

Mischievous and capricious . . . a word for any occasion Arlene can giggle at the most inauspicious times!



BLUMBERG, MARGARET MARY "PEGGY"
272 Nahatan Street

Sophomore Christmas Committee; Peabody Press Club; Junior Prom Committee; Class Day '55; Peabody Prom Committee; Christmas Sale 3; Christmas Pageant; Dancing Club 3.

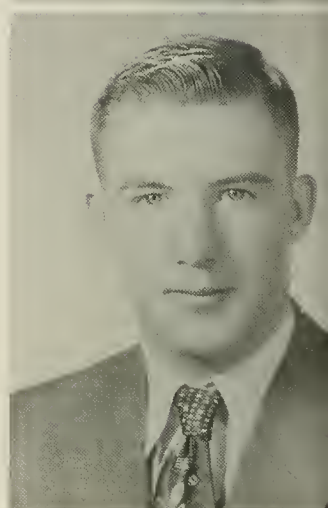
Carefree and loquacious, with eyes that dance; Peggy comes to school to pass the time away.



BOARDMAN, DORCAS GAY "DORKIE"
73 Mylod Street

Sophomore Christmas Committee; Student Council 3; Assembly Committee 2, 3; Traffic Squad; Class Play Committee; Senior Musicales; Yearbook Advertising Co-Editor; Glee Club 1, 2; FTA.

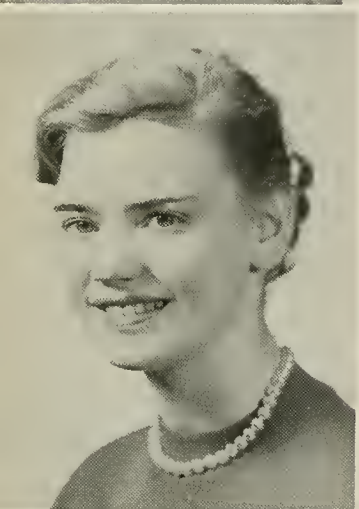
Admired for her outstanding ability in the classroom . . . never ostentatious . . . always ready with a helping hand . . . Dorcas is sure to succeed!



BOONE, WILLIAM HENRY "BILLY"
266 Nahatan Street

Junior Prom Committee; Class Day '55; Senior Musicales; Basketball; Golf 1, 2, 3; White Elephant Sale 3; Christmas Sale.

A willing and able worker . . . an accomplished golfer . . . possesses an easy-going manner.



BOUSMAN, GLORIA DAWN "GLU AND GLUM"
123 Jefferson Drive

Senior Musicales; Glee Club 2; White Elephant Sale; Christmas Sale; Step Party.

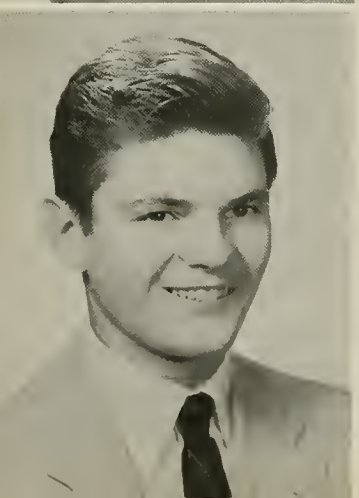
Quick humor, full of fun, our expert baker is a good sport in everything.



BROCK, THOMAS PETER "RED"
102 Walnut Avenue

Sophomore Christmas Committee, Traffic Squad; Senior Musicales; Football Dance Committee; Senior Prom Committee.

A carrot-topped lad with a flair for mechanics . . . Tom rates high on everyone's list.



BUCKUS, JOHN STEPHEN "JOHNNY"
34 Austin Street

Sophomore Party Committee; Senior Prom Committee; Senior Musicales; Hockey 3.

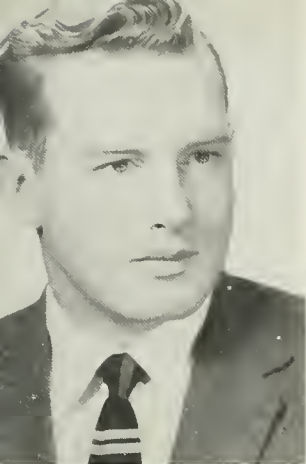
Reserved and meditative . . . his thoughts tend to wander away from school . . . friendly toward everyone.



BUNNEY, ELIZABETH ANN "LIZ"
15 Plimpton Avenue

Senior Prom Committee; Ticket Seller 2; Class Play Committee; Senior Musicales; Glee Club 3; Basketball 1, 2, 3.

Athletically inclined, Liz has won many friends with her sweet manner.



BUTTERS, PAUL XAVIER

"BUFF"

19 Weld Avenue

Sophomore Party Committee; Junior Prom Committee; Class Officer 1, 2, 3; Senior Musicales; Football Dance Committee; Football 1, 2, 3; Track 2; Intramural Basketball 1, 2, 3.

A handsome lifeguard with a wonderful physique . . . an exceptional dancer . . . great potential on the gridiron.

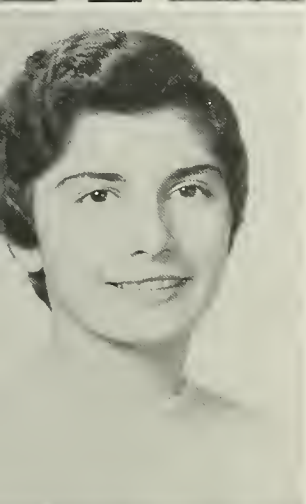
CARTER, SHEILA ANN

"DIZZY"

234 Codman Road

Sophomore Party Committee; Junior Prom Committee; Glee Club; Projection Club; Halloween Party Committee; White Elephant Sale; Christmas Sale.

A first-rate Irish dancer . . . Sheila can be suave and sophisticated at times . . . loves to chatter.



CARUSO, ANTOINETTE

"NETTIE"

104 Railroad Avenue

Sophomore Party Committee; Student Council 1, 2, 3; Junior Prom Committee; Senior Musicales; Glee Club; Class Day '55; Class Play Committee.

This effervescent package of vitality bounced along the corridors at N.H.S. and right into our hearts.

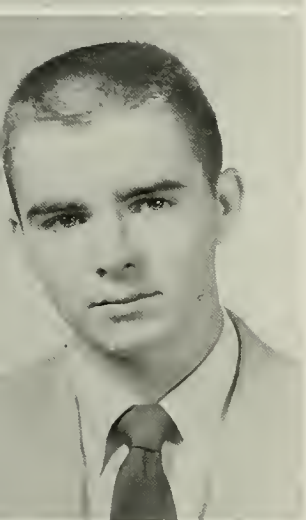
CHARRON, ALICE LORRAINE

"AL"

234 Vernon Street

Sophomore Christmas Committee; Junior Prom Committee; Class Day '55; Traffic Squad; Class Play Committee; Senior Musicales; Yearbook Circulation Committee.

'56's top office girl . . . Alice's smooth complexion, slick figure, and spirited personality gladden both our eyes and our moods.



COLLINS, BERNARD

"BERNIE BOOM-BOOM"

116 Richland Road

Sophomore Party Committee; Senior Prom Committee; Senior Musicales; Track 2; Intramural Basketball.

Quiet and unobtrusive . . . neat appearance, nice eyes . . . always voices an intelligent opinion.

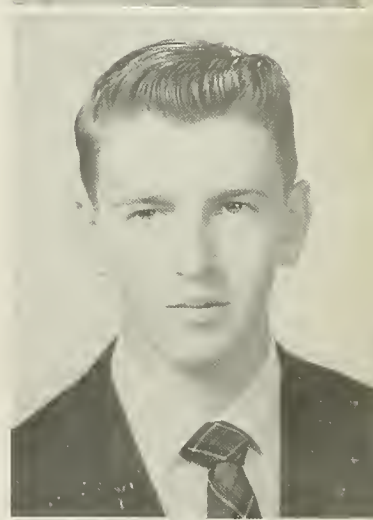
CONLEY, JAMES PATRICK

"LEFTY"

225 Railroad Avenue

Sophomore Party Committee; Junior Prom Committee; Traffic Squad; Senior Prom Committee; Senior Musicales; Glee Club 1; Intramural Basketball 1, 2, 3.

A well-favored, amiable lad . . . gifted with the art of repartee . . . popular and persevering.



CONLEY, PAUL

97 Hill Street

Sophomore Party Committee; Junior Prom Committee; Class Officer 2, 3; Senior Musicales; Baseball 1, 2, 3; Basketball 1, 2, 3; Hockey 1, 2, 3.

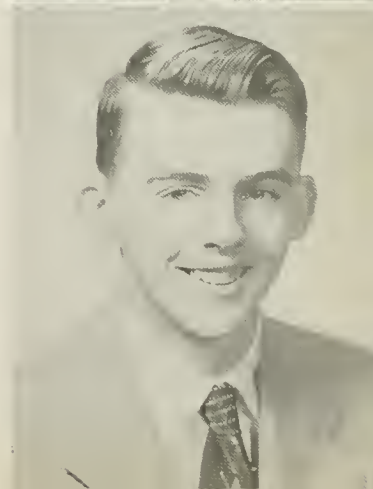
Effervescent smile . . . cheerleaders fascinate this likable young fellow.

CONNELLEY, THOMAS

"TOMMY"

209 Vernon Street

Sophomore Christmas Committee; Senior Musicales; Orchestra 3; Band 1, 2, 3; Photography Club 1, 2, 3; Track 2. *Well-mannered and neat . . . an amateur photographer and competent musician.*





CONNOLLY, CAROLYN ANN
44 Elliott Street

Sophomore Party Committee; Hilltop Highlights 2; Junior Prom Committee; Traffic Squad; Ticket Seller 1, 2; Class Play Cast; Senior Musicales; Yearbook Typing Committee; Glee Club 1, 3.

Sparkling and radiant eyes with a pleasing and attractive air . . . quiet and conservative in the class room, but we know better.

CONRAD, ALLAN WAYNE
51 Plimpton Avenue

Sophomore Party Committee; Assembly Committee 3; Senior Prom Committee; Class Play Committee; Senior Musicales.

A sharp-witted student . . . clothes make this man outstanding . . . an enviable disposition.

CORBETT, JOHN EDWARD, JR.
227 Winter Street

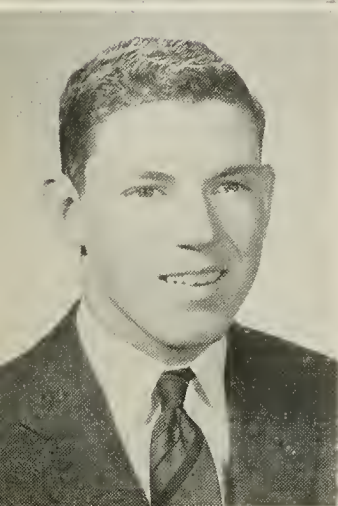
Sophomore Party Committee; Junior Prom Committee; Graduation Usher '55; Senior Musicales; Yearbook Circulation Co-Editor; Basketball 1; Football 1, 2, 3, (Co-Captain); Tennis 2, 3.

A tall curly-haired athlete . . . a demon on the gridiron . . . a keen sense of humor adds to his popularity.

CORDO, NORMA FRANCES
1281 Washington Street

Sophomore Party Committee; Junior Prom Committee; Ticket Seller 1; Class Play Committee; Senior Musicales; Yearbook Typing Committee; Glee Club 1.

A flair for clothes, natural curls, and a zest for living . . . who could ask for more?



CORSINI, PATRICIA
6 Earle Street

Sophomore Party Committee; Junior Prom Committee; Senior Prom Committee; Class Play Committee; Senior Musicales.

A newcomer in our midst, Pat has made her mark, as well as a great many friends, by her school spirit . . . we like her.

CRONAN, RICHARD THOMAS
20 Warren Street

Class Day '55; Traffic Squad; Class Play Committee; Senior Musicales; Projection Club 1, 2; Football 2, 3. *Intelligent and dependable . . . interested student . . . capable of expressing himself forcibly.*

CURRAN, CONSTANCE MARGARET
235 Vernon Street

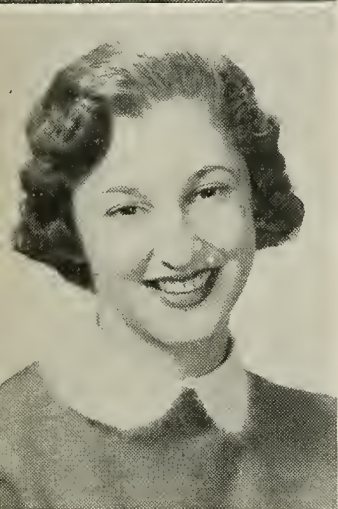
Sophomore Party Committee; Junior Prom Committee; Ticket Seller 2, 3; Class Play Committee; Senior Musicales; Yearbook Advertising Staff; Glee Club 1, 3.

Blessed with the gift of repartee . . . apt to tease . . . Connie's neat and efficient ways make us all sit up and take notice.

CURRAN, MATTHEW JOSEPH
232 Nahatan Street

Sophomore Christmas Committee; Junior Prom Committee; Ticket Seller 3; Football Dance Committee; Glee Club 1, 2, 3; Football 2; Intramural Basketball 3.

Independent and outspoken . . . well-known for his bursts of temper . . . reckless but sincere attitude.



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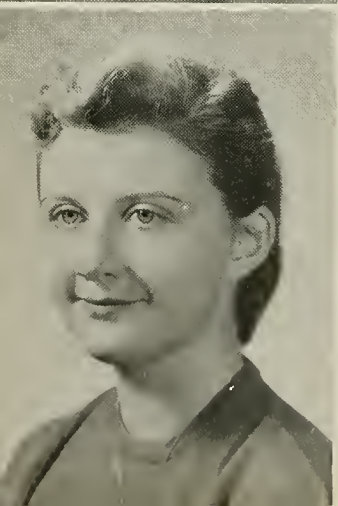
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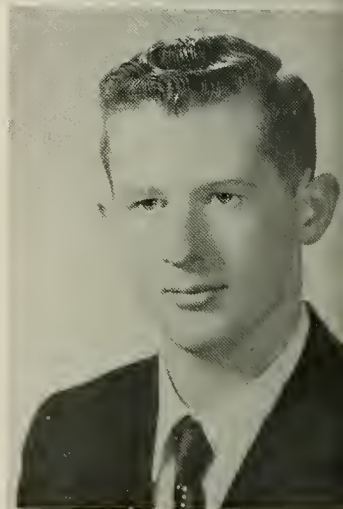
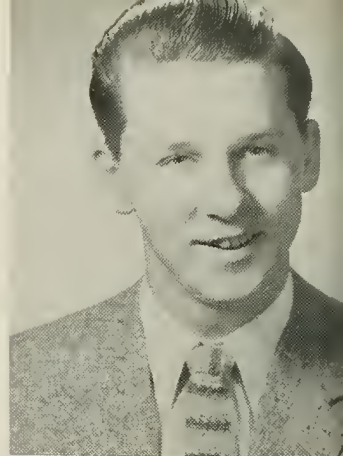
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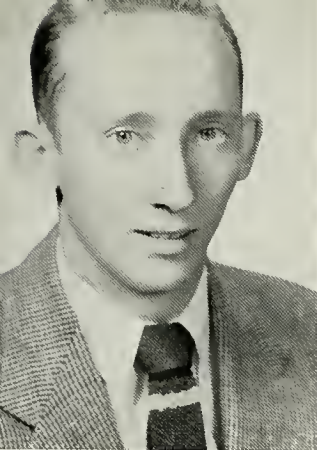
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CURRAN, PATRICK

"PAT"

57 Elliot Street

Senior Musicales; Glee Club 3; Baseball 2; Basketball 1, 2, 3; Football 1, 2; Intramural Basketball 3; Tennis 2; Golf 1, 2, 3; Track 2, 3.

Long and lank . . . his sharp wit causes many laughs in homeroom . . . Pat is an ardent golfer.

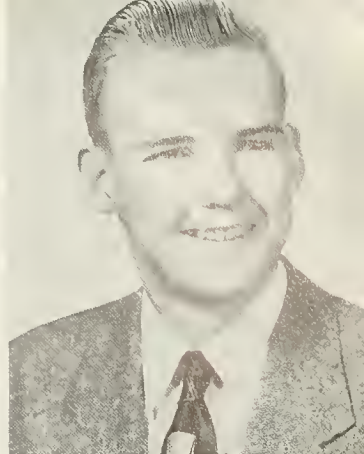
CUSHMAN, ROBERT HENRY

"BOB"

51 First Street

Sophomore Christmas Committee; Senior Prom Committee; Senior Musicales; Photography Club 1, 2, 3.

An accomplished mathematician . . . a whiz in photography . . . on the spot when help is needed.



DEL SIGNORE, LORETTA MARY

"RETTA"

18 Austin Street

Sophomore Party Committee; Junior Prom Committee; Senior Prom Committee; Senior Musicales; Yearbook Typing Committee; Glee Club 1; Basketball 1.

Flashing personality . . . vociferous at times . . . Loretta is always seen encompassed by her staunch friends.

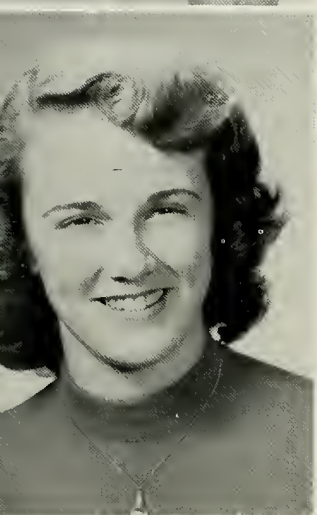
DEVINE, MARGARET ANN

"PEGGY"

908 Washington Street

Sophomore Party Committee; Sophomore Christmas Committee; Junior Prom Committee; Ticket Seller 1; Class Play Committee; Senior Musicales; Glee Club 1.

A diligent worker is Peggy . . . her sincere and steadfast manner seldom gives way to capricious moods.



DEVINE, PATRICIA ELIZABETH

"PATTY"

163 Central Street

Sophomore Party Committee; Junior Prom Committee; Senior Prom Committee; Senior Musicales; Usherette at Senior Play; Glee Club 3.

Patricia's nice complexion, fine figure, admirable fashion sense, and cordial ways make her an outstanding citizen at N.H.S.

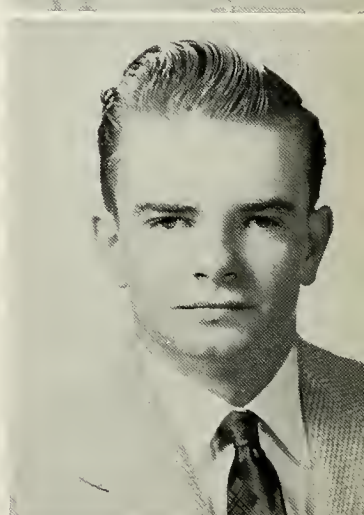
DOONEY, MARTIN THOMAS

"MARTY"

85 Highview Street

Sophomore Party Committee; Senior Prom Committee; Class Play Committee; Senior Musicales.

Quiet and conservative . . . a subtle sense of humor . . . likable and unassuming.



DOWD, MARY ELIZABETH

176 Fulton Street

Sophomore Party Committee; Student Council 2, 3; Junior Prom Committee; Traffic Squad; Ticket Seller 1, 2; Senior Musicales; Yearbook Advertising Staff; Election Committee 3; FTA.

An attractive blue-eyed blonde . . . a calm and competent scholar . . . possesses a colorful wardrobe to match her colorful personality.

DOYLE, MARIE ANN

15 Cross Street

Sophomore Party Committee; Assembly Committee; Junior Prom Committee; Senior Musicales; Football Dance Committee; Usherette at Senior Play.

Fashionable in style and smile . . . always tactful . . . Marie spreads good will and inspires lasting friendship.





DRUMMEY, JAMES JOSEPH
41 Nichols Street

Sophomore Party Committee; Traffic Squad; Senior Musicales; Boys' State; Yearbook Co-Editor-in-chief; Football Programs 3; Intramural Basketball 1, 2, 3.

Our top-Tioteer's imperturbable manner camouflages an hilarious wit and a perspicacious mind.

DUQUETTE, WILLIAM RAYMOND
914 Washington Street

Sophomore Party Committee; Junior Prom Committee; Graduation Usher '55; Senior Prom Committee; Ticket Seller 3; Senior Musicales.

An unflurried disposition . . . a good student . . . well-mannered and easy-going.



ECKHARDT, MARGARET LOUISE
16 Cedar Lane

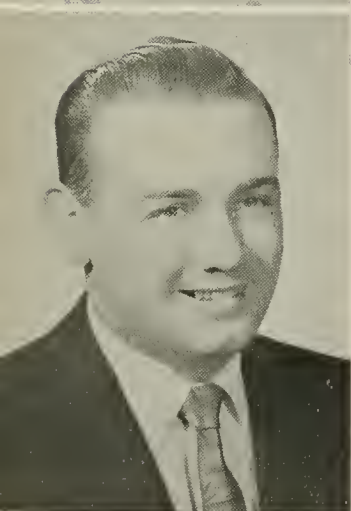
Senior Musicales; Band 1, 2, 3; Halloween Party Committee; Peabody Prom Committee; Homeroom Rep. 2; Treasurer 3; White Elephant Sale; Step Party.

A conscientious worker and good school citizen, Peggy's titian hair glows.

EISNOR, CINDA
569 Neponset Street

Sophomore Party Committee; Senior Musicales; Orchestra 2, 3; Band 1, 2, 3.

A modest individualist with a subtle sense of humor and a roguish smile . . . scholastically adept, artistically skillful.



ELLIS, RICHARD
88 Washington Street

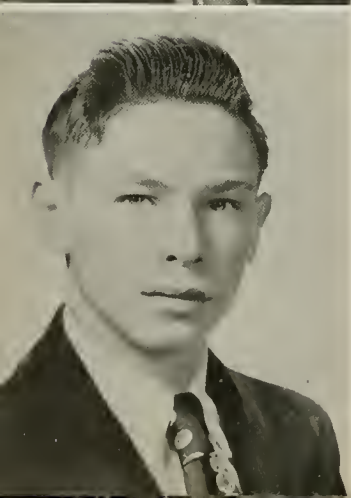
Sophomore Party Committee; Junior Prom Committee; Graduation Usher '55; Boys' State; Yearbook Advertising Staff; Basketball 1, 2, 3; Football 1, 2, 3, Co-Captain; Track 1, 2, 3; Tennis 2, 3.

A tower of strength on the gridiron . . . rollicking sense of humor . . . frank in his opinions.

EVERBURG, DONALD
19 Saunders Road

Graduation Usher '55; Class Play Cast; Senior Musicales; Yearbook Art Co-Editor; Glee Club 1, 2, 3; Track 2, 3.

Tall and sturdily built . . . a capable student . . . his melodious voice is well-known . . . he's artistic, too, and a good actor.



FARRAR, ANDREW
92 Sumner Street

Class Day '55; Senior Musicales; Parents' Night; September Picnic Committee; White Elephant Sale; Christmas Sale.

A mischievous appearance . . . a steady and apt worker . . . always enjoys a practical joke.

FEENEY, MARCIA
408 Prospect Street

Sophomore Party Committee; Junior Prom Committee; Class Day '55; Traffic Squad; Ticket Seller 2, 3; Class Play Cast; Senior Musicales; Yearbook Advertising Staff; Glee Club 1, 3.

Gracious manner, friendly eyes, and a pleasing voice . . . Marcia is usually gay, sometimes pensive.





FENNESSEY, CAROL ALICE "CHICKADEE"
7 Pleasant Street

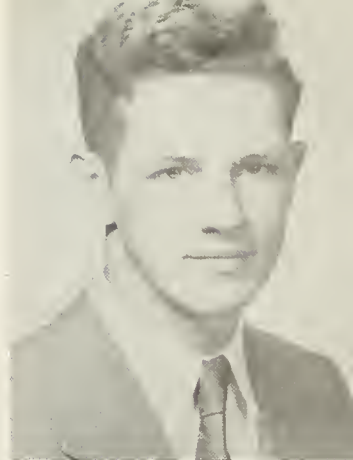
Student Council 1, 2, 3; Student Council Officer 2, 3; Glee Club 1; Halloween Party; Parents' Night; White Elephant Sale; Christmas Sale; Step Party.

The well-chosen president of Peabody, Carol has proven herself worthy of this position.

FITZPATRICK, RICHARD NOLL "FITZ"
53 Pond Street, Canton

Sophomore Party Committee; Student Council 3; Senior Prom Committee; Class Play Committee; Senior Musicales.

A stalwart, energetic lad . . . a pleasant personality . . . his opinion is valued in any discussion.



FLAHERTY, CLAIRE ANN "CLOONEY"
106 Dean Street

Senior Musicales; Glee Club 1, 2; Peabody Prom Committee; Parents' Night; White Elephant Sale; Step Party 1, 2. *Friendly to all, unselfish in every way, Claire has won the favor of many . . . she is welcomed in every group.*

FLANSBURY, JOAN CATHERINE "JOANIE"
465 Nahatan Street

Peabody Press Club; Senior Musicales; Peabody Prom Committee; White Elephant Sale; Christmas Sale 3; Dancing Club 3.

A writer of the school column, Joan's quite a "Peabody Personality" herself . . . she will soar to great heights some day in the business world.



FLOOD, RUTH ELIZABETH "BETSY"
304 Railroad Ave.

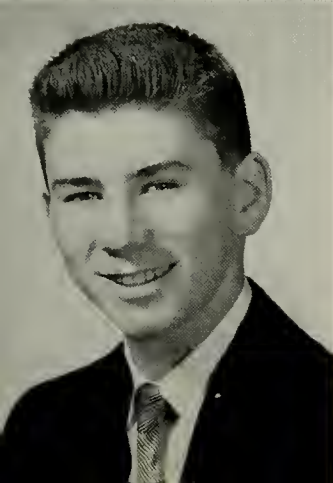
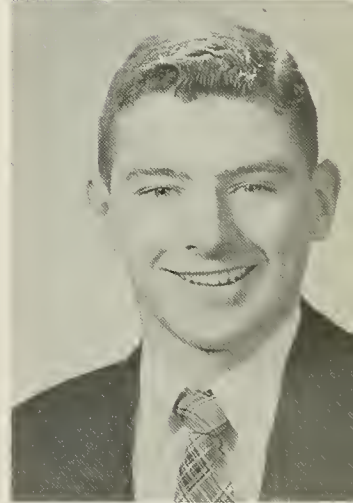
Sophomore Party Committee; Junior Prom Committee; Traffic Squad; Ticket Seller 2, 3; Class Play Committee; Senior Musicales; Yearbook Advertising Staff; Glee Club 1, 3.

Delightful and "delovely", . . . enchantingly aloof . . . silently sagacious . . . Ruth both laughs and blushes easily.

FOLEY, COLEMAN "COLEY"
12 Cypress St.

Student Council 1, 2, 3; Assembly Committee 2, 3; Traffic Squad; Class Officer 2, 3; Senior Prom Committee; Senior Musicales; Baseball 1; Hockey 1, 2, 3.

Our enterprising and capable class "Prez", . . . has a peculiar aversion to red lights during hockey season . . . an articulate leader.



FROST, ROY "JACK"
47 Chapel Street

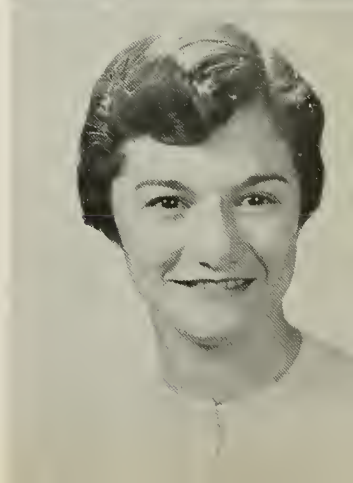
Sophomore Christmas Committee; Junior Prom Committee; Senior Prom Committee; Senior Musicales; Band 2; Basketball 1.

Clean-cut appearance . . . popular with the opposite sex . . . an able chauffeur.

FRUCL, BARBARA JOAN "BARB"
28 Shaw Street

Sophomore Party Committee; Student Council 1, 2; Junior Prom Committee; Senior Musicales; Cheerleader; Football Dance Committee.

This brunette doll inspires the Norwood boys to victory . . . Barb's pretty, petite, and pixyish.





GALUSHA, BEVERLY

182 Richland Road

"BEV"

Senior Musicale 3; Peabody Writer 3; Basketball 3; Tennis 3; Peabody Prom; White Elephant Sale 3; Christmas Sale 3.

Limpid brown eyes enhance the appearance of this gentle procrastinator who is constantly on the go.

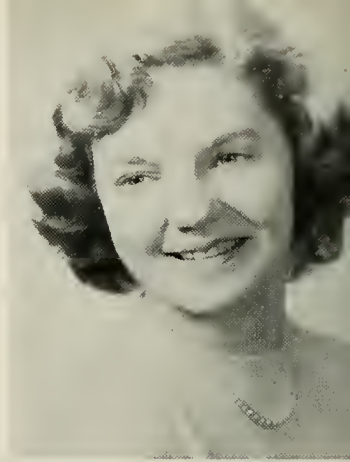
GALVIN, SALLY WINIFRED

139 Hill Street

"SAL"

Sophomore Party Committee; Junior Prom Committee; Class Day '55; Senior Prom Committee; Ticket Seller 1, 2; Senior Musicale; Usherette at Senior Play; Glee Club 1, 2, 3.

Garrulous but agreeable . . . Sally's gaiety sometimes changes quickly to a melancholy mood.



GENERAZO, RALPH JOHN

63 Heaton Avenue

"RADAR"

Sophomore Christmas Committee; Senior Musicale; Baseball 1, 2, 3; Basketball 1, 2, 3; Intramural Basketball 1, 2, 3.

One of our better known athletes . . . Ralph excels in basketball and baseball . . . girls have a great fascination for this lad.

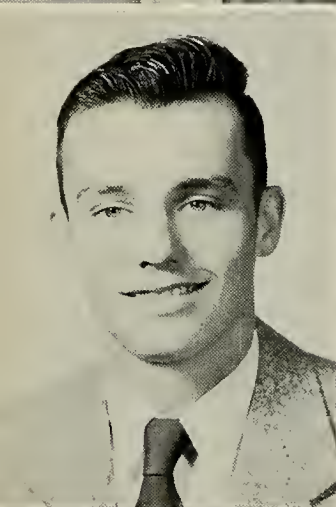
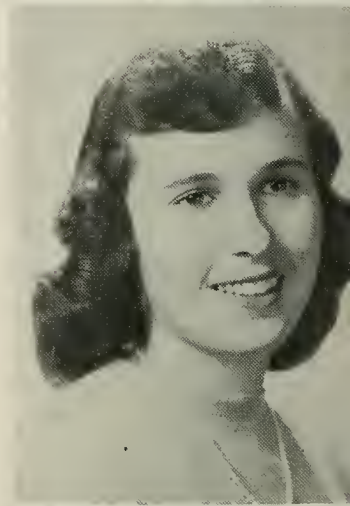
GIOVANNUCCI, MARILYN ANN

50 Washington Street

"MAL"

Sophomore Christmas Committee; Student Council 1, 3; Junior Prom Committee; Traffic Squad; Class Play Committee; Senior Musicale; Band 1, 2, 3; Glee Club 1, 2.

Exquisite brown eyes . . . delicately tinted complexion . . . Mal will be a fine prize for some lucky man.



GOONAN, RICHARD THOMAS

462 Nahatan Street

"DICK"

Sophomore Party Committee; Junior Prom Committee; Senior Musicale; Football Dance Committee; Basketball 1; Football 1, 2, 3; Track 1, 2, 3; Intramural Basketball 3; Tennis 2.

A well-proportioned, powerful athlete, outstanding on the gridiron . . . finds humor in every situation.

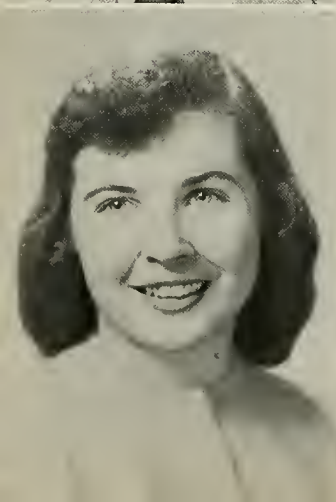
GORI, CONSTANCE ELIZABETH

26 East Monroe Street

"CONNIE"

Sophomore Christmas Committee; Junior Prom Committee; Senior Prom Committee; Senior Musicale; Photography Club 1.

Connie's keen sense of humor stirs up many pranks and a good time results for all . . . constantly seen with Carol.



GREANEY, MARGARET

474 Washington Street

"PEGGY"

Sophomore Party Committee; Junior Prom Committee; Peabody Projection Club 3; Halloween Party Committee; Peabody Prom; White Elephant Sale; Christmas Sale.

A ray of sunshine, Peggy's shining tresses are envied by all . . . Reinette is her constant companion.

GREENWOOD, DONALD JOHN

25 High Street

"SID"

Student Council 2, 3; Student Council Officer; Class Day '55; Traffic Squad; Class Play Committee; Senior Musicale; Yearbook Advertising Staff; Election Commission 3.

Calm and unruffled of mien . . . a serious and efficient young man . . . enjoys all, enjoyed by all.





GRETHE, DIANE

"DI"

22 Fifth Street

Sophomore Party Committee; Senior Musicales; Peabody Prom; Christmas Sale.

Quiet and serious. Diane's neat appearance and tranquil nature make her an asset to any group.



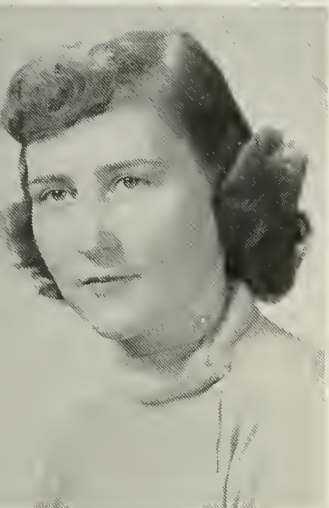
GROH, GERALD

"JOE"

328 Railroad Avenue

Sophomore Party Committee; Senior Musicales; Baseball 1; Football 1; Intramural Basketball 1, 2, 3.

A brisk walk and an affable disposition are easily recognized attributes . . . someday Joe will manage a string of theaters.



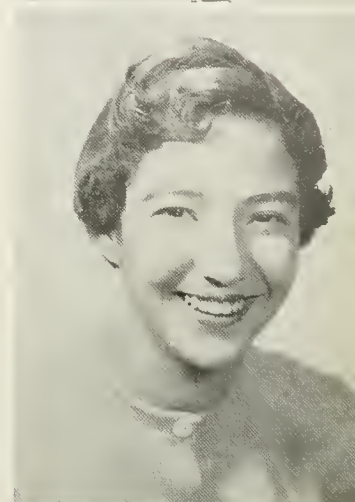
GROVER, LILLIAN

"LILY"

481 Nahatan Street

Class Day '55; Glee Club 1, 2; Bulletin Board Committee 1, 2, 3; Peabody Prom 1, 2; White Elephant Sale; Christmas Sale; Christmas Pageant; Fashion Show.

Adequate in every situation, perhaps Lillian will be the first to walk down the middle aisle.



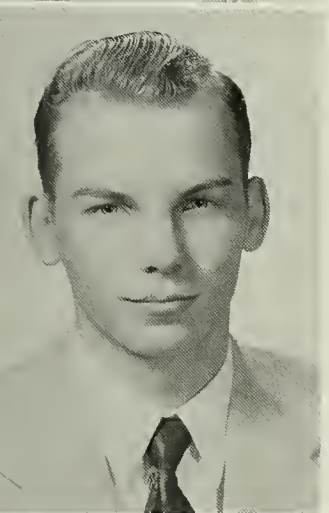
GUGLIOTTA, BARBARA

"BABS"

5 Lawndale Road

Sophomore Party Committee; Junior Prom Committee; Class Day '55; Ticket Seller 1; Senior Musicales; Peabody Prom Committee; White Elephant Sale; Christmas Sale.

Dark-haired and petite . . . always eager to help us with our problems . . . Barb's happy disposition is well-known.



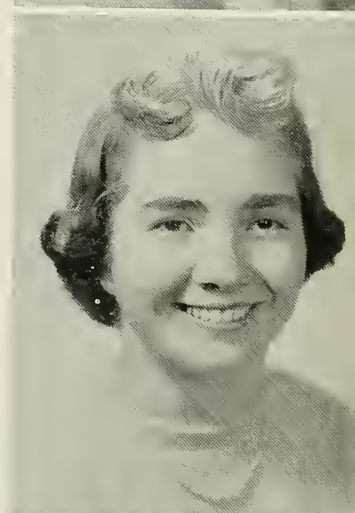
HAUCK, DONALD

"DON"

40 Maple Street

Sophomore Party Committee; Senior Prom Committee; Senior Musicales; Football Dance Committee.

Tactiturn but pleasant . . . a good student . . . a friend in need and a friend indeed.



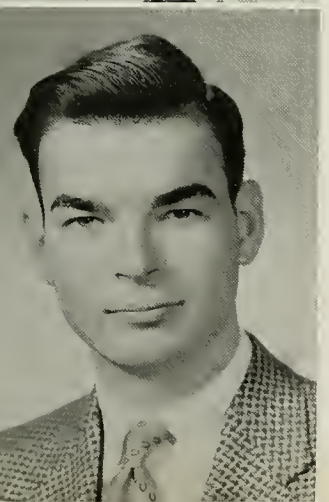
HENNESSEY, MAURITA ANNE

"MAUR"

79 Winslow Avenue

Sophomore Party Committee; Junior Prom Committee; Class Day '55; Class Play Committee; Senior Musicales; Band 1, 2, 3; Glee Club 1.

Friendly but sometimes caught in a far-away mood . . . Maurita inclines towards things musical.



HERTZBERG, DAVID CARL

"DAVE"

51 Prospect Avenue

Sophomore Party Committee; Junior Prom Committee; Senior Prom Committee; Senior Musicales; Projection Club 1.

Serious-minded but with a nice, friendly smile . . . Dave is constantly trying to get ahead.



HERTZBERG, LORNA ELIZABETH

"HERTZ"

51 Prospect Avenue

Sophomore Party Committee; Junior Prom Committee; Class Play Committee; Class Play Cast; Senior Musicales; Glee Club 1, 2, 3; FTA.

A superb dancer . . . Lorna has a sparkle in those flashing eyes that are both mischievous and flirtatious.



HOAR, JANE FRANCES

"JANIE"

70 Adams Street

Sophomore Party Committee; Junior Prom Committee; Senior Prom Committee; Senior Musicales; Glee Club 3; Basketball 2, 3.

Twinkling eyes and an impish grin are the trademarks of this cute coquette.

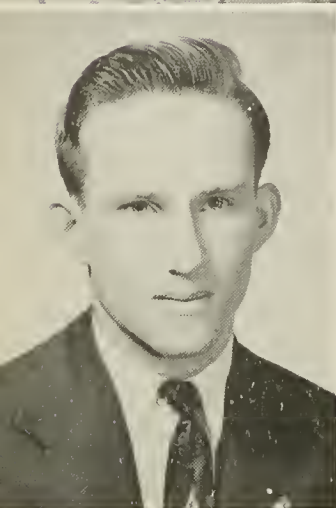
HOMER, JOSEPH

"JOE"

83 Concord Avenue

Sophomore Party Committee; Student Council 3; Senior Musicales; Baseball 1, 2, 3; Football 1; Bulletin Board Committee 2, 3.

Good-natured Joe takes everything in stride . . . retiring in the presence of girls . . . baseball is his first love.



HUBBARD, ROBERT ARTHUR

"HUB"

25 Hill Street

Sophomore Christmas Committee; Senior Musicales; Football Dance Committee; Sophomore Party Committee.

A good worker . . . a real competitor in anything he undertakes . . . an enviable disposition.

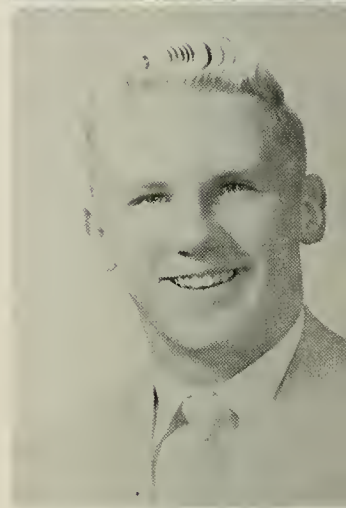
HUGHES, GERALD EVERETT

"JERRY"

12 First Street

Sophomore Christmas Committee; Assembly Committee 3; Senior Prom Committee; Class Play Committee; Senior Musicales; Football Dance Committee; Football 1, 2, 3; Track 1, 3.

Blond and rugged . . . a big gun on the gridiron . . . popular with everyone.



HUTCHINGS, MARILYN

"MAL"

28 Hawthorne Street

Sophomore Party Committee; Class Day '55; Traffic Squad; Class Officer 1, 2, 3; Ticket Seller 1, 2; Senior Musicales; Cheerleader; Football Dance; Glee Club 1, 2. *Chic cheerleader . . . a diminutive doll with an adorable smile . . . Mal can wind them around her little finger.*

JAZUKIEVIS, ROSALIE

"ROSE"

38 Austin Street

Sophomore Christmas Committee; Ticket Seller; Senior Musicales; Glee Club 1, 2, 3.

The roller skating rink is this girl's alma mater . . . singing and skating are more appealing than homework.



JOHNSON, DAVID

"DEXTER"

8 Morse Ave.

Sophomore Party Committee; Junior Prom Committee; Senior Prom Committee; Senior Musicales; Photography Club 1, 2; Golf 3.

"Dex" is another "Drug Store Cowboy". . . can always find time for a practical joke . . . a "smoothie" on the dance floor.

JOHNSON, ELAINE BEATRICE

"LAINEY"

28 Saunders Road

Sophomore Party Committee; Student Council 1; Assembly Committee 1, 2, 3; Traffic Squad; Senior Musicales; Yearbook Circulation Committee; Photography Club 1; FTA 1, 2, 3.

Blonde and demure . . . Elaine is equipped with abundant grey matter and a winning smile.





JOHNSON, ELIZABETH

"BETTY"

4 Day Street

Glee Club 1, 2; Parents Night 1, 2; White Elephant Sale; Christmas Sale; Peabody Press Club; Christmas Pageant.

Popular, friendly, co-operative . . . an excellent seamstress and fine designer . . . all this and brains, too.

JOHNSON, JANICE

"JAN"

107 Wilson St.

Sophomore Party Committee; Junior Prom Committee; Senior Musicales; Band 1, 2, 3; Glee Club 1, 2; Basketball 1, 2, 3.

"Five Foot Two, Eyes of Blue" is our dexterous majorette . . . although inclined to taciturnity, Jan isn't left behind when there's fun in the air.



KANE, MARGARET ANN

"MARGIE"

65 Phillips Avenue

Sophomore Party Committee; Junior Prom Committee; Traffic Squad; Class Play Committee; Senior Musicales; Yearbook Circulation Committee; Band 1, 2, 3; Glee Club 1, 2.

This baton-twirling colleen is a real treasure . . . Margie's loaded with personality and has all the qualities of a lady . . . she's cute, too.



JOSEPH, RICHARD

"DICK"

84 Chapel Street

Sophomore Party Committee; Sophomore Christmas Committee; Junior Prom Committee; Senior Musicales; Football Dance Committee; Glee Club 1; Football 3; FTA.

A dark-haired lad with an out-going personality . . . his interests lie in a certain undergrad.



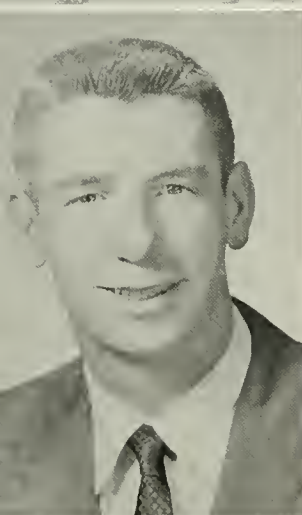
KELLEY, MICHAEL JOSEPH

"MIKE"

30 Rock Street

Sophomore Christmas Committee; Graduation Usher '55; Senior Musicales; Football 1, 2; Hockey 1, 2, 3; Track 1; Golf 2.

A proficient athlete is this stubby-haired individual . . . Mike is "hot stuff" on ice.



KEOHANE, GERALD ANTHONY

"COKEY"

414 Prospect Street

Sophomore Party Committee; Junior Prom Committee; Senior Musicales.

Cute, with a nice complexion . . . a charter member of the "Hot Rodders" . . . an out-sized sense of humor.



KILCUP, NANCY ELIZABETH

"NAN"

43 Saunders Road

Sophomore Party Committee; Junior Prom Committee; Traffic Squad; Class Play Cast; Senior Musicales; Yearbook Circulation Committee; Glee Club 1, 2, 3.

A blithe and blushing blonde, with a singing voice as sweet as her own personality and visage.

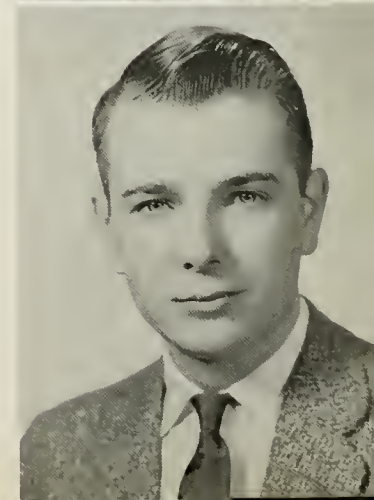


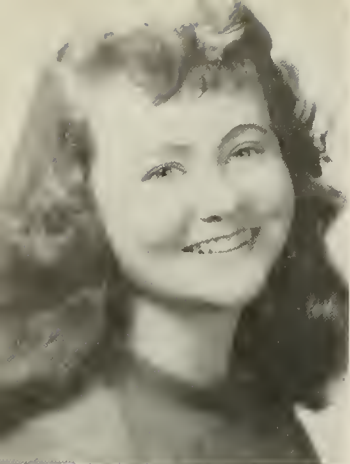
KING, BRUCE GERALD

28 Shattuck Road

Sophomore Party Committee; Assembly Committee 2, 3; Traffic Squad; Class Play Cast; Yearbook Advertising Staff; Projection Club 3; Tennis 1, 2, 3; FTA.

A poised, well-rounded disposition . . . a quick-witted mathematician . . . tennis is one of his many hobbies.

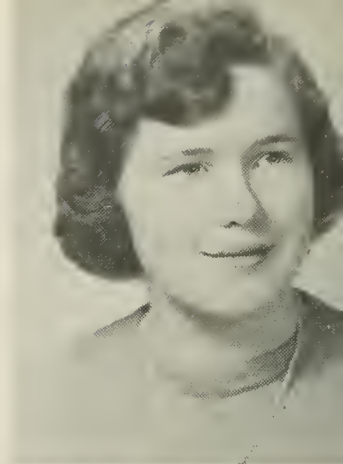




KING, VALERIE FLORENCE
153 Nahatan Street

Assembly Committee 1, 2, 3; Ticket Seller 1, 2; Class Play Cast; Senior Musicales; Yearbook Circulation Committee; Orchestra 2, 3; Band 2, 3; Glee Club 1, 2, 3; Bulletin Board Committee.

Val's an aspiring dramatic actress who has what it takes . . . always in style with that added dramatic touch to her wardrobe.



KNAPP, ENOLA ARLINE "NOLA"
32 Oolah Street

Sophomore Party Committee; Junior Prom Committee; Projection Club 3; Basketball 1; Halloween Party Committee 1, 2; Peabody Prom Committee 3; White Elephant Sale 3; Christmas Sale; Senior Musicales.

Always in there pitching, pint-sized Enola has a smile for everyone . . . with an especially big one for Charlie.



KOSIBA, SHIRLEY JANE "SHIRL"
30 Oolah Ave.

Junior Prom Committee; Class Officer 3; Projection Club; Halloween Party Committee 1, 2; Peabody Prom Committee 3; Parents' Night; White Elephant Sale 3; Christmas Sale 3.

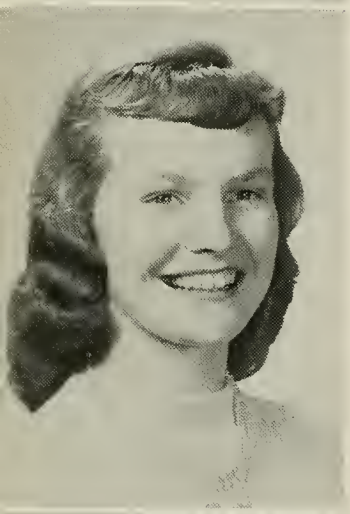
With an exquisite voice and a determined attitude, Shirley will make a fine secretary for some lucky executive.



KURZMAN, MARILYN "LYN"
37 Ellis Avenue

Sophomore Party Committee; Junior Prom Committee; Senior Musicales; Band 1, 2, 3; Glee Club 1, 2; Basketball 1, 2; Bulletin Board Committee.

School is necessary evil for this pretty majorette . . . there's always a good time to be found when Mal's around.



LAAKSO, DIANA "DI"
31 Pleasant St.

Student Council 1; Assembly Committee 1, 2; Junior Prom; Traffic Squad; Class Officer 1, 2, 3; Class Play Cast; Senior Musicales; Yearbook Advertising; Election Commission 1, 2, 3; Tennis 1, 2, 3.

The charm and grace of a goddess . . . ever ready with a cheerful smile . . . Diana's pageboy is the envy of many girls at N.H.S.



LEGARE, GAIL KATHRYN "RUSTY"
8 Howard-Ave, Attleboro

Class Day '55; Bulletin Board Committee; Peabody Prom Committee; Press Club; Fashion Show.

Auburn hair and turned-up nose make Gail a rival of Susan Hayward . . . her poise and neat appearance will carry her far.



LIPINSKY, JOANNE THERESA "LOLLYPOP"
68 Heaton Ave.

Sophomore Party Committee; Assembly Committee 3; Class Day '55; Glee Club 1; Basketball 1; Peabody Prom Committee; White Elephant Sale 3; Christmas Sale 3.

A good listener, rather reticent . . . neither boasts nor seeks limelight . . . Joanne enjoys her friends and a good joke.



LOGAN, IRENE ANN "RENE"
86 Hill St.

Sophomore Party Committee; Sophomore Christmas Committee; Student Council 3; Junior Prom Committee; Class Day '55; Senior Prom Committee; Senior Musicales.

Ebullient good spirits combined with generosity and reliability are the qualities which make Irene a true friend.



LONG, VIRGINIA LUCILLE "GINNY"
23 Allen Road

Sophomore Party Committee; Junior Prom Committee; Usherette at Senior Play 3; Halloween Party Committee; White Elephant Sale 3; Christmas Sale.

Willing to try, eager to help, and ready to work; Gini's cantagious laugh is welcome on any occasion.



LORUSSO, DONALD DAVID "DONNY"
72 Heaton Avenue

Sophomore Party Committee; Sophomore Christmas Committee; Assembly Committee; Junior Prom Committee Senior Musicale.

Friendly and ca-aperative . . . his willingness ta lend a hand brings him many friends.



LUCE, ROBERT GEORGE "BOB"
17 Oxford Road

Sophomore Christmas Committee; Senior Musicale; Football Dance Committee.

Quiet-mannered and neat . . . has a rugged outdoor loak; friendly and enterprising.



LUKOW, JOANNE FRANCES "JO"
423 Thurston Street, Wrentham

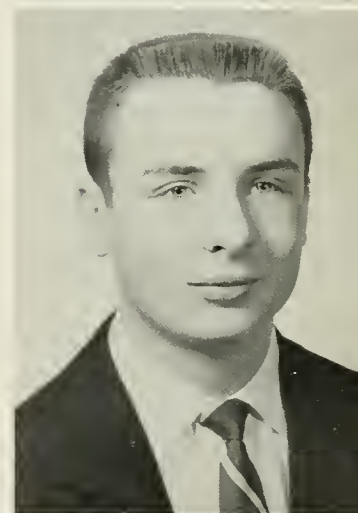
Senior Musicale; Halloween Party Committee; Peabody Prom Committee; White Elephant Sale; Christmas Sale; Dancing Club.

Athletically inclined, Joanne's gracious and understanding manner have wan her many friends on the hill.



LUTES, MARY JANE "JEN"
11 Hoyle Street

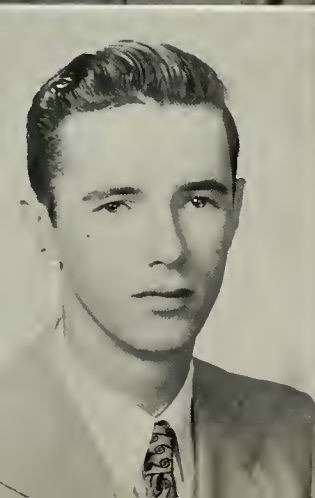
Senior Prom Committee; Senior Musicale; Glee Club 3. *A connoisseur af fine foads . . . Lady Luck smiled when this amiable lass came to N.H.S.*



LYNCH, JAMES "JIMMIE"
59 Winslow Avenue

Sophomore Christmas Committee; Class Play Committee; Senior Musicale; Glee Club 1; Football 1, 2; Track 1, 2, 3; Intramural Basketball 1, 2.

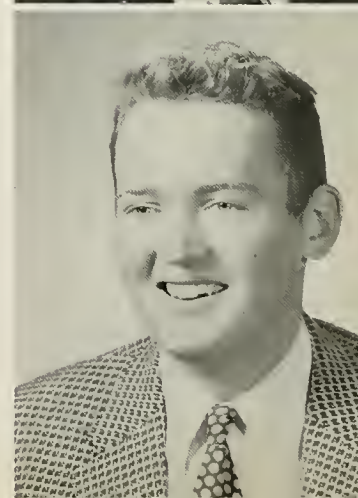
Passesses a glint in his eye which partends mischief . . . his humaraus autlook on life lightens our days.



LYNCH, JOSEPH CHRISTOPHER "JOE"
126 Monroe Street

Sophomore Party Committee; Sophomore Christmas Committee; Senior Prom Committee; Projection Club 1; Senior Musicale.

A fun-laving giggler with a heart of gald . . . a papular music jan.



LYNCH, TIMOTHY THOMAS "TIM"
21 Florence Avenue

Sophomore Party Committee; Student Council President 3; Student Council 1, 2; Graduation Usher '55; Senior Musicale; Bulletin Board Committee.

Competent and sagaciaus is this versatile young man . . . he has an excellent vocabulary and a dynamic personality.



MACARI, DAVID JAMES "FATS"
1401 Washington Street

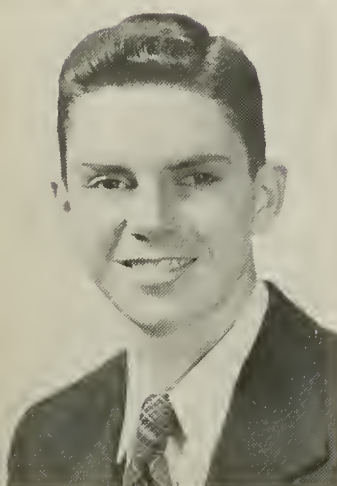
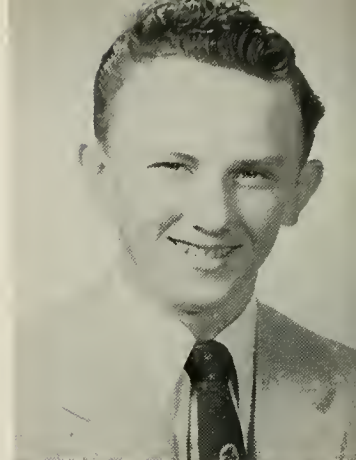
Class Play Committee; Senior Musicales; Glee Club; 1, 2, 3; Intramural Basketball 2; Baseball Manager 1; Basketball Manager 2; Track Manager. 2.

A new member of our class . . . a jovial, fun-loving originator of hilarious antics.

MACEachern, RICHARD "DICK"
59 Bruce Road

Sophomore Party Committee; Senior Prom Committee; Senior Musicales; Intramural Basketball 2, 3; Football Manager 2.

Pint-sized bundle of dynamite . . . a faithful friend . . . Dickie goes for a certain undergrad.



MACLEOD, ROGER CHRISTOPHER "MAC"
176 Vernon Street

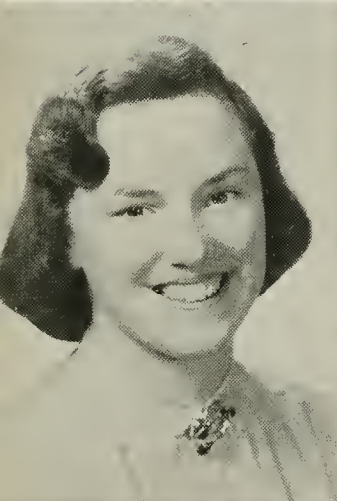
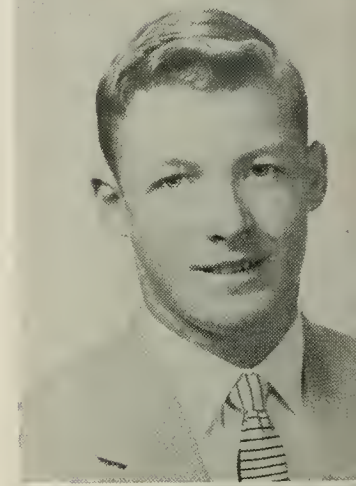
Sophomore Party Committee; Sophomore Christmas Committee; Junior Prom Committee; Class Day '55; Class Play Cast; Senior Musicales.

Conscientious and hard working . . . scientific matter holds his interest . . . very likely to succeed.

MAHER, EDWARD THOMAS "TEDDY"
42 Winfield Street

Sophomore Party Committee; Junior Prom Committee; Senior Musicales; Track 1, 2, 3; Intramural Basketball 1, 2, 3; Hockey 1, 2; Golf 3.

Wonderful personality . . . a winning smile and a keen sense of fun . . . hockey is his great hobby.



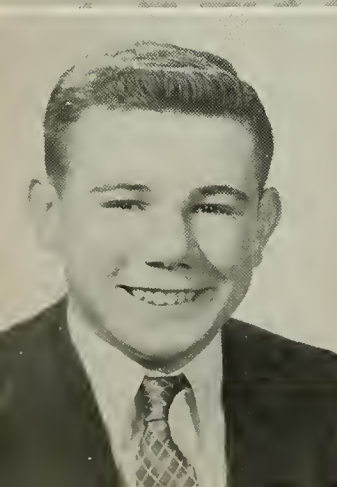
MARSH, MEREDITH ANN "MERRI"
8 Cambridge Road

Sophomore Party Committee; Assembly Committee 2, 3; Junior Prom Committee; Traffic Squad; Class Play Cast; Yearbook Co-Editor-in-Chief; Chamber of Commerce Essay Winner 2; Football Programs 3.

A versatile and vibrant personality . . . endowed with the faculty of attaining proficiency in anything she endeavors.

MARTIN, DEBORAH SUE "DEBBIE"
31 Sumner Street

Senior Prom Committee; Senior Musicales; Glee Club 3. *This flirtatious "Yellow Rose of Texas" is a new and prized member of the class of '56 . . . Debbie's cute accent and vivacious spirit have won our hearts.*



MCCARTHY, FRANCIS XAVIER "FRAN"
131 Winslow Avenue

Sophomore Christmas Committee; Senior Musicales; Glee Club 1, 2, 3; Baseball 1, 2, 3; Basketball 1; Track 1, 2, 3.

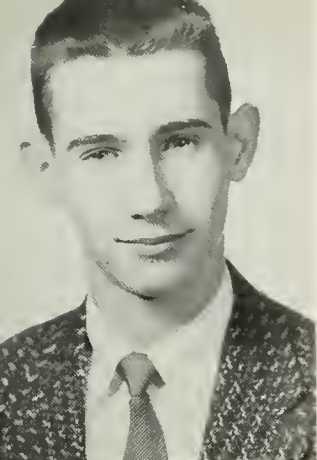
A hustler in football and baseball with a wonderful competitive spirit . . . enjoyed by everyone (except Dedham).

MCCARTHY, ROSS
26 George Street

Junior Prom Committee; Senior Musicales; Football Dance Committee; Senior Prom Committee.

Industrious and agile . . . bowling is his favorite sport . . . his booming laugh is easily recognized.





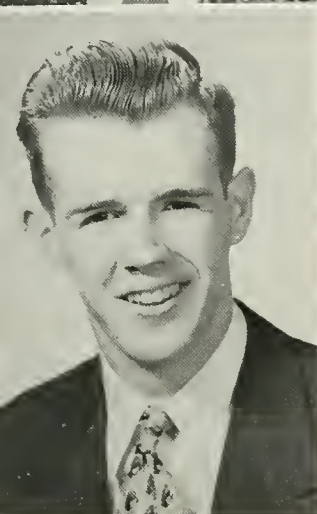
MCCREEDY, PAUL THOMAS
85 Concord Avenue

Sophomore Party Committee; Sophomore Christmas Committee; Class Day '55; Senior Musicales; Baseball 1, 2, 3. *Strongly attracted to the fair sex and vice-versa . . . an appealing disposition . . . adept on the pitching mound.*

MCDONALD, JACQUELINE "JACKIE"
33 Howard Street

Sophomore Party Committee; Sophomore Christmas Committee; Class Day '55; Yearbook Advertising Staff; Usherette at Senior Play.

School is a sour apple in this attractive lass's pie, but she surprises us with occasional seriousness . . . Those twinkling eyes give away her flirtatious spirit.



McELWEE, DONALD BRUCE
20 Berwick Street

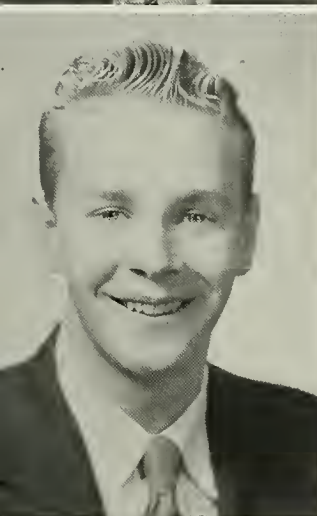
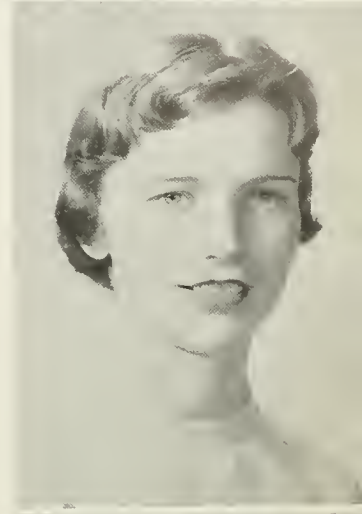
Sophomore Christmas Committee; Senior Prom Committee; Senior Musicales; Yearbook Circulation Committee.

Well-coordinated and agile . . . has a scientific turn of mind . . . radiates good nature.

MCGUFF, KATHLEEN FRANCES "KATHY"
340 Washington Street

Sophomore Party Committee; Sophomore Christmas Committee; Junior Prom Committee; Class Day '55; Senior Prom Committee; Senior Musicales.

Slender, stylish, sprightly . . . a cute blonde with a cute smile . . . Kathy's effervescent personality raises our spirits.



McLAUGHLAN, ROBERT BRUCE "BOB"
165 Vernon Street

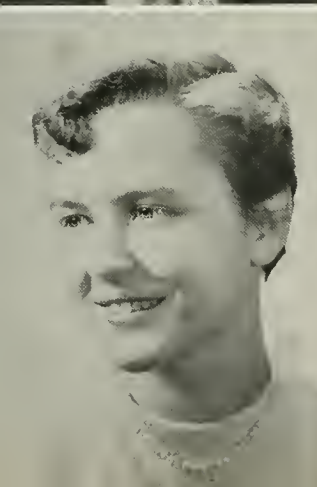
Sophomore Party Committee; Sophomore Christmas Committee; Senior Prom Committee; Class Play Cast; Senior Musicales; Glee Club 1, 2, 3.

A clean-cut, good looking blonde . . . dependable and efficient . . . a pleasant harmonious voice.

MELLALY, DOROTHY LOUISE "DOTTI"
31 Hillshire Lane

Sophomore Party Committee; Junior Prom Committee; Class Play Committee; Orchestra 1, 2, 3; Glee Club 1, 2, 3; FTA; Basketball 1, 2, 3; Band 1, 2, 3.

A happy-go-lucky miss who loves to chatter . . . beware when she's behind that wheel!



MERCIER, ANN STELLA "MICKEY"
184 Vernon Street

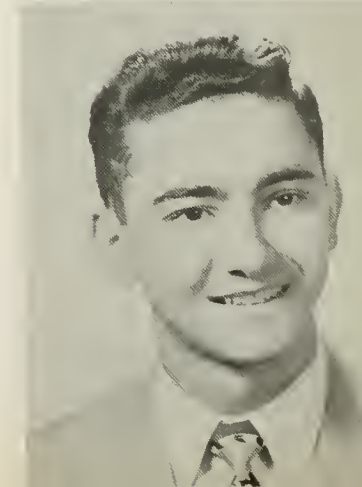
Sophomore Christmas Committee; Traffic Squad; Senior Prom Committee; Senior Musicales; Orchestra 3; Ticket Seller 1.

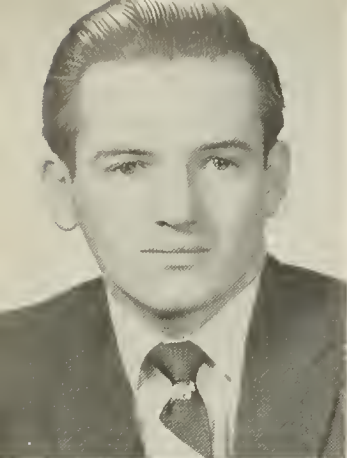
A proficient pianist . . . a bit of a tease . . . Mickey's vibrant personality would make any movie starlet turn green.

MICHENZIE, FRANK JOSEPH "MITCH"
12 Franklin Street

Senior Prom Committee; Senior Musicales; Baseball 1, 2, 3; Track 2, 3; Intramural Basketball 3.

This amiable, dark-haired lad is popular with everyone . . . Mitch really shines in baseball.





MILLER, RICHARD ARTHUR
18 Linden Street

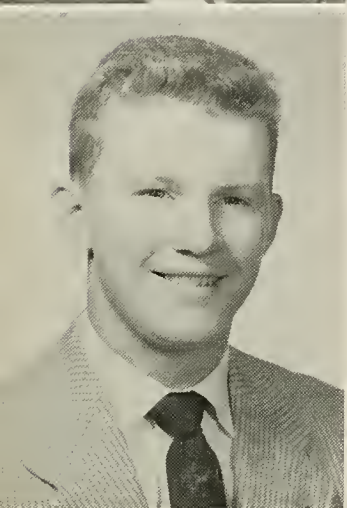
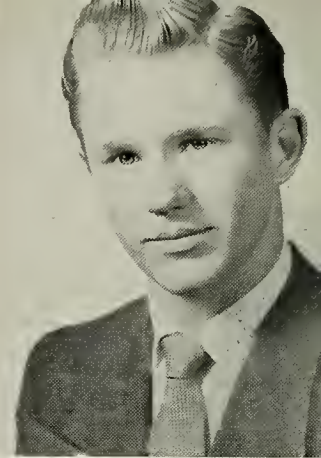
Sophomore Christmas Committee; Senior Musicale; Orchestra 2, 3; Band 1, 2, 3.

A capable man where mechanical things are concerned . . . a member of the band whom we couldn't do without.

MORSE, EMORY THEODORE
35 Plimpton Avenue

Sophomore Christmas Committee; Senior Musicale; Football Dance Committee; Intramural Basketball 1, 2.

A sharp-witted customer . . . has a quiet but winning way about him . . . positive in his views . . . toujours gai.



MOYNIHAN, JOHN FRANCIS
422 Washington Street

Sophomore Party Committee; Junior Prom Committee; Senior Musicale; Glee Club 1; Baseball 1; Football 1; Hockey 2, 3.

Well co-ordinated and well poised . . . an independent nature . . . a pleasant disposition attracts many friends.

MULLANE, CAROLE ANN
426 Prospect Street

Sophomore Party Committee; Junior Prom Committee; Ticket Seller 2, 3; Class Play Committee; Senior Musicale; Glee Club 2, 3; Basketball 1, 2, 3.

Amiable and good-natured . . . a bright personality perpetually glowing.



MULLOY, DONNA MARY
222 Codman Road

Class Day '55; Glee Club 1, 2; Bulletin Board Committee; Peabody Prom Committee; Fashion Show.

Stately and aloof, Donna attracts much attention with her trim figure and carefully chosen clothes.

MULVEHILL, JOAN MARIE
75 Sixth Street

Sophomore Party Committee; Ticket Seller; Senior Musicale; Halloween Party Committee; Peabody Prom Committee; White Elephant Sale; Christmas Sale.

Well-chiseled features and a cute figure make Joanie our pride and joy.



MUNSON, GAIL ANN
26 Howard Street

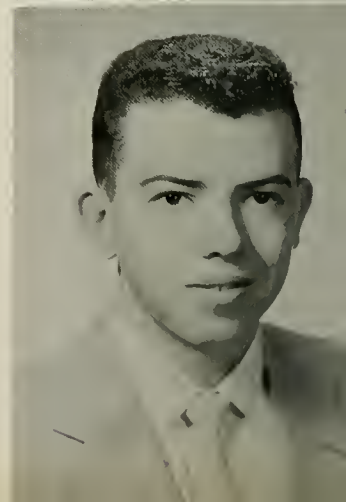
Junior Prom Committee; Senior Musicale; Yearbook Circulation Committee; Football Dance Committee; Glee Club 1, 2.

Quiet, but friendly . . . dependable and reliant . . . Gail's self-confident manner relaxes those around her.

NAUGHTON, KEVIN ROBERT
21 North Avenue

Sophomore Christmas Committee; Assembly Committee 3; Senior Prom Committee; Class Play Committee; Senior Musicale.

A curly-haired, even-tempered lad . . . a skillful hockey player . . . an amiable personality.





NEWARK, ROLAND STEPHEN
389 Nahatan Street

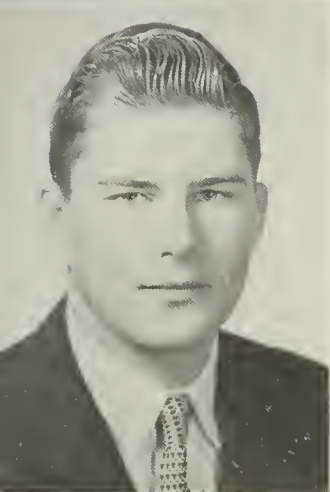
Graduation Usher '55; Traffic Squad; Senior Musicales; Football 1; Track 1; Hockey 1, 2, 3; Golf 2, 3; Bulletin Board Committee.

A nice physique, adept at hockey and golf—popular with everyone, especially a certain cheerleader.

NYBORN, CONSTANCE GENEVIEVE
6 Stone Circle

Senior Musicales; Glee Club; White Elephant Sale; Christmas Sale.

Persevering in her endeavors, Connie is known for her endless energy.



O'BRIEN, FREDERICK ROBERT
76 Hill Street

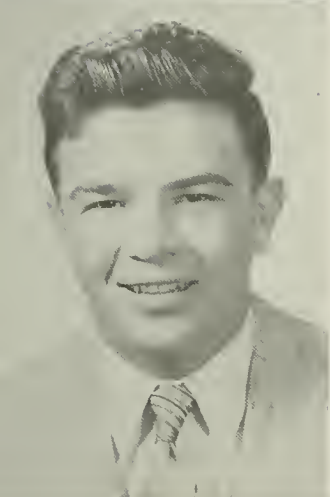
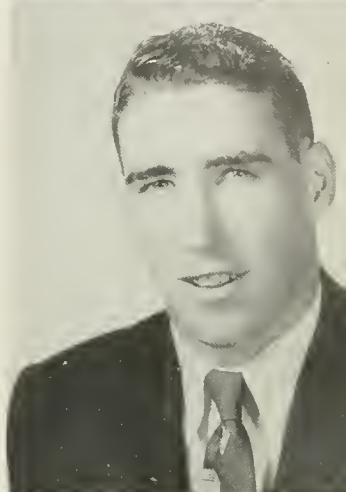
Sophomore Party Committee; Orchestra 2, 3; Band 1, 2, 3; Photography Club; Class Play Committee; Senior Musicales.

An exceptional student . . . well-mannered and industrious . . . an ardent and accomplished musician.

O'CONNOR, JOHN
457 Washington Street

Junior Prom Committee; Senior Prom Committee; Senior Musicales; Boys' State; Football Dance Committee; Basketball 1, 2, 3; Football 1, 2, 3.

Rugged appearance . . . quiet manner . . . at ease with everyone . . . a hustler in football and basketball . . . a good student.



O'DONNELL, WILLIAM PATRICK
78 Ridgewood Drive

Sophomore Party Committee; Senior Musicales; Glee Club 1; Baseball 2; Football 1, 2, 3.

A stocky, congenial lad . . . Willie enlivens many a class with his humorous remarks.

O'KEEFE, PETER DONALD
32 Cranmore Road

Sophomore Party Committee; Junior Prom Committee; Senior Prom Committee; Senior Musicales; Golf 2, 3.

A good student with a knack for mathematics . . . Pete enjoys the outdoors and fishing.



OLIVER, MARY ELIZABETH
23 Monroe Street

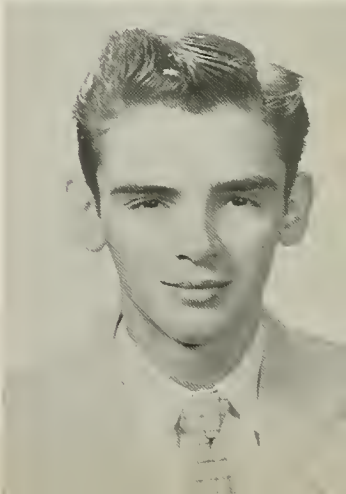
Glee Club 1, 2; Parents' Night 1, 2; White Elephant Sale; Christmas Sale; Step Party, Senior Musicales.

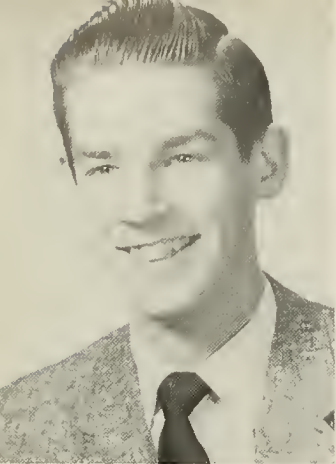
Mary's fabulous smile makes for pleasant times . . . She's an attentive listener and an even better talker.

OSTROM, RAYMOND RICHARD
434 Prospect Street

Sophomore Christmas Committee; Assembly Committee 3; Senior Prom Committee; Class Play Committee; Senior Musicales.

A vigorous constitution . . . frequently seen with the fairer sex . . . an unchanging attitude of friendliness.





OSZAJCA, JOHN PAUL

"JACK"

402 Washington Street

Sophomore Christmas Committee; Junior Prom Committee; Senior Musicales; Yearbook Art Co-Editor; Photography Club 1, 2, 3.

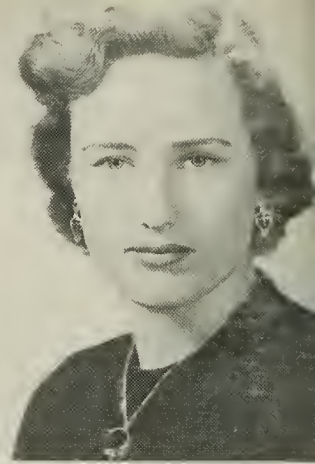
The boy with the artistic touch, whether with a pen or mechanic's tools . . . his talent will lead him far.

PACLHOFFER, JANET LOUISE

178 Brook Street

Junior Prom Committee; Senior Musicales; Glee Club 1, 3; Basketball 2; Halloween Party Committee; White Elephant Sale; Christmas Sale.

An independent lass, Janet is an outstanding person never to be forgotten.



PAQUIN, REINETTE NOELLA

"RENNIE"

81 East Cross Street

Sophomore Party Committee; Junior Prom Committee; Ticket Seller; Senior Musicales; Glee Club; White Elephant Sale 3.

An efficient stenographer . . . Reinette has the ability to put everyone at ease when she's around.

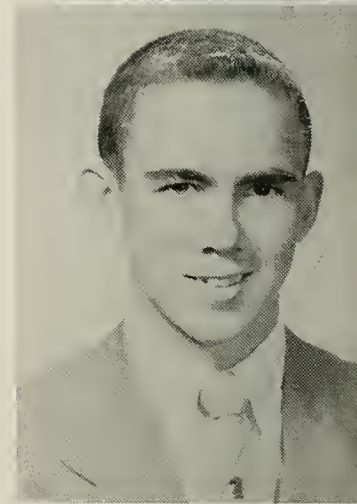
PATTEN, BERNARD JOSEPH

"BUMPY"

787 Washington Street

Sophomore Party Committee; Junior Prom Committee; Student Council 2; Senior Prom Committee; Senior Musicales; Glee Club 1; Intramural Basketball 1; Hockey 2, 3.

Blithe and buoyant . . . a carefree cheerful attitude . . . a capable hockey player.



PATTISON, RICHARD MAYNARD

"DICK"

693 Pleasant Street, Weymouth, Mass.

Class Day '55; Senior Musicales; September Picnic Committee; Parents' Night; Christmas Sale.

Pleasant and reliable . . . his sociable disposition is his calling card wherever he goes.

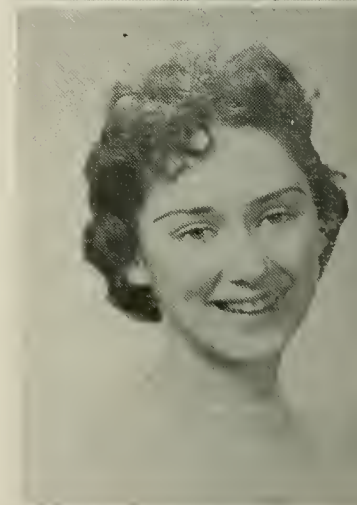
PIPER, PATRICIA GRACE

"PAT"

Birch Road

Senior Musicales; Glee Club 1; Parents' Night; Peabody Prom Committee.

Our answer to Audrey Hepburn, Pat is a rare beauty . . . Her pixie-like features will be on the cover of "Glamour" some day.



PYE, DENISE RUTH

"DEN"

66 Phillips Ave.

Sophomore Party Committee; Junior Prom Committee; Senior Musicales; Yearbook Advertising Staff; Football Programs, 1, 2; Usherette at Senior Play.

A charming coquette with lovely long locks . . . darling dimples . . . that angelic expression doesn't mask her rascality.

ROGAN, CAROLE ANN

"CAROLLI"

219 Walpole Street

Sophomore Party Committee; Junior Prom Committee; Ticket Seller 1, 2; Class Play Cast; Senior Musicales; Yearbook Typing Committee.

Convulsive laughter is the only warning that Carole is on her way, which simply means that there is fun to be had.





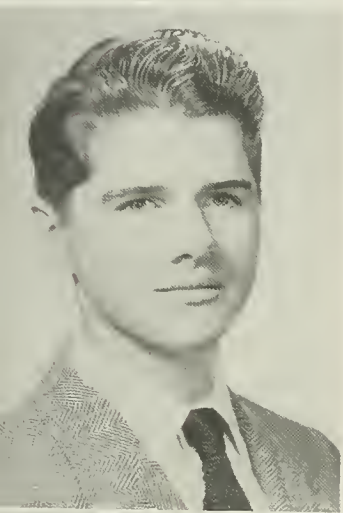
ROGERS, CHARLENE ANNE "CHARLIE"
577 Washington Street, Canton

Peabody Co-operative; Glee Club 1, 2; Peabody Prom Committee; Parents' Night; White Elephant Sale; Christmas Pageant 3; Fashion Show 2, 3; Homeroom Representative 3.
Always looking on the bright side, Charlene possesses humor in abundance . . . she's our ambassador of good will.



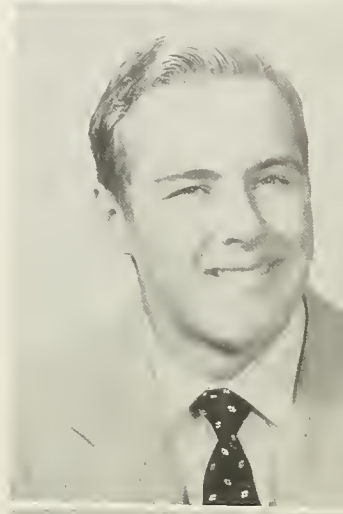
ROMBOLA, EDWARD FRANCIS "EDDIE"
1000 Washington Street

Sophomore Christmas Committee; Assembly Committee 1; Senior Prom Committee; Senior Musicales; Glee Club 1.
Well-known for his endless collection of stories . . . Eddie can usually be found at "Smoker's Bluff"



ROSS, KARL
59 Highland Street

Sophomore Christmas Committee; Junior Prom Committee; Senior Musicales; Orchestra 2, 3; Band 1, 2, 3.
A husky, nimble-witted lad . . . proficient in mathematics . . . never-failing good nature.



ROWE, PAUL
26 Third Street

Sophomore Christmas Committee; Junior Prom Committee; Senior Musicales; Baseball Manager 1; Football Manager 1.
A conscientious sports manager . . . quiet and unobtrusive . . . well-liked throughout the school.



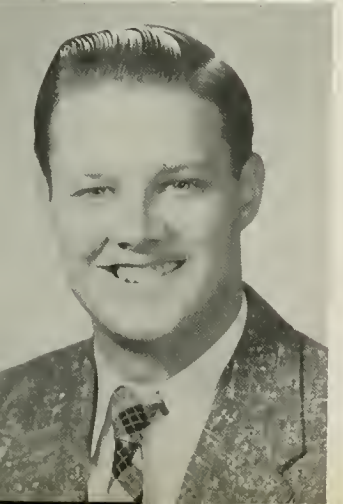
RUSSELL, OLIVIA JANE "OLLIE"
37 Cottage Street

Sophomore Party Committee; Student Council 3; Junior Prom Committee; Traffic Squad; Ticket Seller 1, 2; Senior Musicales; Yearbook Art Co-editor; Glee Club 1, 3; Basketball 2, 3; FTA.
An artistic lass . . . Ollie's vivid coloring and effulgent personality make her easy to look at and nice to have around.



RYDER, FRANCES DOROTHEA "FRANNIE"
176 Dean Street

Sophomore Party Committee; Junior Prom Committee; Class Day '55; Traffic Squad; Class Officer 3; Class Play Committee; Senior Musicales; Cheerleader.
Able and agile cheerleader . . . perfect figure, pleasing countenance . . . Frannie's well-deserving of her popularity.



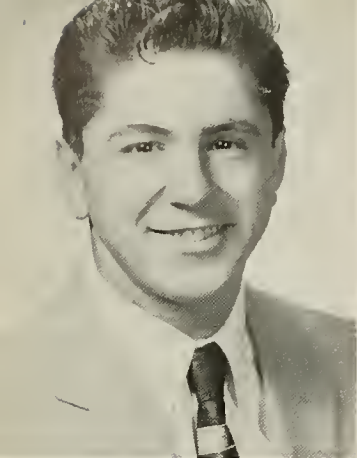
SANDERS, DAVID "DAVE"
20 Florence Avenue

Sophomore Party Committee; Junior Prom Committee; Graduation Usher '55; Traffic Squad; Senior Prom Committee; Senior Musicales.
A good-looking "Colonial Boy" . . . a serious-minded student . . . always willing to lend a hand.



SANSONE, NANCY
878 Washington Street

Sophomore Party Committee; Student Council Officer 2; Assembly Committee 1, 2, 3; Hilltop Highlights 2; Traffic Squad; Senior Musicales; Yearbook Advertising Staff; Football Programs 1, 2, 3; Cheerleader; Senior History; FTA.
Miss Personality Plus of '56 . . . talented and dependable . . . mischievous gleam in those alluring dark eyes . . . she's one of our pretty cheerleaders, too.



SANTORO, CHARLES

"CHARLIE"

38 Sunset Ave.

Sophomore Party Committee; Student Council 3; Senior Musicales; Football Dance Committee.

Carefree and jovial . . . a skilled swimmer and outdoorsman . . . should be a successful businessman.

SASTAVICKAS, MARJORIE MAY

"MARGIE"

4 Ridgewood Drive

Student Council 2; Junior Prom Committee; Class Day '55; Traffic Squad; Class Officer 2; Senior Musicales; Cheerleader; Band 1, 2, 3; Basketball 2, 3.

Potential contender for the Miss Universe crown . . . don't let those good looks fool you, she's got brains as well as beauty.



SAWYER, JEAN LOUISE

"JEANIE"

53 Fales Street, Franklin

Class Day '55; Senior Musicales; Glee Club; Halloween Party; Parents' Night; Christmas Pageant 3; Dancing Club 3; Press Club 2.

Her trademark is pep and energy . . . Jean will make a fine beautician some day.

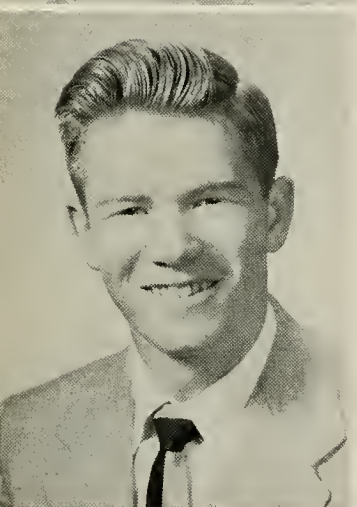
SCHAIER, JEAN LORRAINE

"JEANIE"

245 Walpole Street

Sophomore Party Committee; Junior Prom Committee; Graduation Usher '55; Traffic Squad; Class Officer 1, 2; Yearbook Editorial Staff; Glee Club 1, 2; FTA President 3; Senior Musicales.

Jean's sweet and charming personality brings sunshine and light to the classroom . . . good reason why gentlemen prefer blondes.



SCHULLER, ROBERT GODFREY

"BOB"

142 Vernon Street

Sophomore Party Committee; Senior Musicales; Orchestra 1, 2, 3; Band 3; Projection Club 1.

The "Gene Krupa" of N.H.S. . . . "Bob's" musical talent adds much to any gathering.

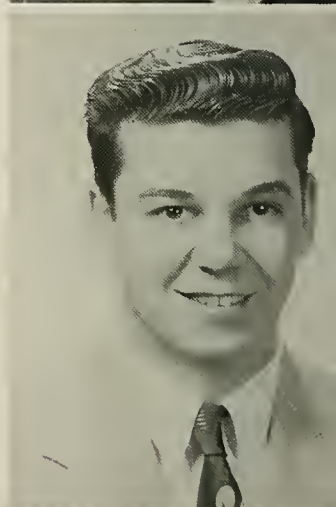
SLANEY, FREDERICK

"FRED"

22 Oolah Avenue

Sophomore Christmas Committee; Junior Prom Committee; Senior Musicales; Football Dance Committee.

Nonchalant and easy going . . . an expert fisherman . . . school is a secondary issue with Fred.



SKEANS, ELIZABETH ANN

"BETTY"

18 Morse Avenue

Sophomore Party Committee; Student Council 1; Hilltop Highlights 3; Junior Prom Committee; Senior Musicales; Yearbook Typing Committee.

This bewitching blonde bubbles over with enthusiasm and conviviality . . . Betty's smart wardrobe is expertly displayed on her fine figure.

SHACKLEY, GEORGE ARTHUR

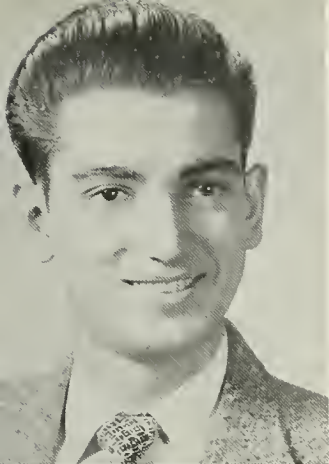
"DEWEY"

1 Kingsbury Drive

Class Day '55; Parents' Night; White Elephant Sale 1, 2, 3; Christmas Sale 2, 3.

An accomplished chef . . . clever but modest . . . likeable and affable.

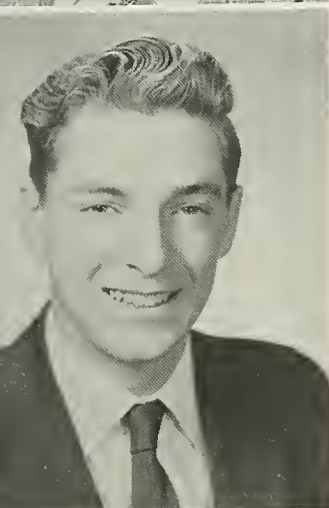




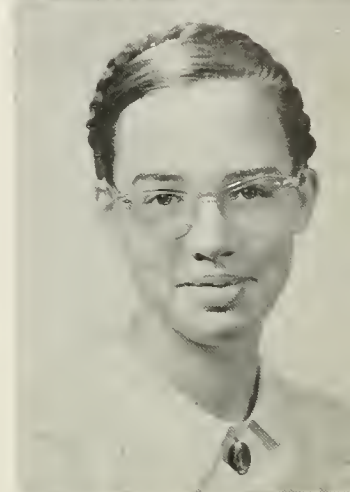
SMITH, CYRIL KLEMENCE "CY"
587 Pleasant Street
Sophomore Party Committee; Peabody Co-operative Officer;
Peabody Prom Committee; Parents' Night; White Elephant
Sale; Christmas Sale.
*An earnest student . . . possesses the gift of saying the
right thing at the right time.*



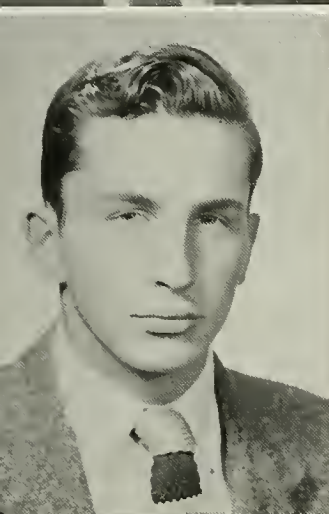
SMITH, JOAN MARIE
98 Highview Street
Senior Prom Committee; Glee Club 1, 2; Peabody Prom
Committee 2; Christmas Sale 1, 2, 3.
*Interested in others, Joon is very feminine . . . her care-
free air attitude makes her an amusing companion.*



SNIDER, LINWOOD FRANK "LIN"
196 Washington Street
Sophomore Christmas Committee; Junior Prom Committee;
Senior Prom Committee; Senior Musicales; Football 1;
Graduation Usher '55.
*Reserved and mild-mannered . . . a faithful swain . . .
well-known and liked at Garner's soda bar.*



STITT, ELEANOR FRANCES
777 Neponset Street
Hilltop Highlights 2; Traffic Squad; Class Play Cast;
Senior Musicales; Tennis 2, 3.
*One of the more cultured members of our class . . .
Eleanor is capable, conscientious, and dependable.*



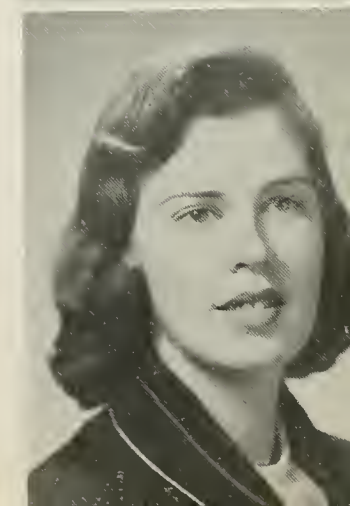
STONIS, JOSEPH STANLEY "JOE"
87 Sumner Street
Sophomore Party Committee; Junior Prom Committee;
Senior Prom Committee; Senior Musicales.
*Tall and husky . . . enjoys rugged competition . . . a
good mon to have around.*



STRAVINSKI, DOROTHY JOAN "DOTTIE"
32 Press Avenue
Sophomore Party Committee; Junior Prom Committee;
Senior Musicales; Yearbook Business Committee; Football
Dance Committee; Glee Club 1; Bulletin Board Committee.
*A toll blonde noted for her keen sense of humor and
hearty laugh . . . school is not her main interest.*



STROUT, DIANE LINDA "DI"
115 Vernon Street
Sophomore Party Committee; Assembly Committee 2, 3;
Traffic Squad; Senior Prom Committee; Senior Musicales;
Yearbook Circulation Committee; Glee Club 1, 2, 3.
*Sparkling complexion, worm brown eyes . . . Miss Cover
Girl of '56 . . . Diane's enthusiasm and sincerity have
won her friends even from afar.*



STUPAK, IRENE VERONICA "VICKY"
15 Cottage Street
Peabody Press Club; Glee Club 2; Peabody Prom Com-
mittee; Parents' Night; Christmas Sale; Step Party.
*Tall and stately, Irene is always "cooking" up little sur-
prises for her many friends . . . she loves a joke.*



SUDLOWS, EDNA MAE

"FEATHERS"

10 Johnson Place

Junior Prom Committee; Class Day '55; Ticket Seller; Senior Musicales; Halloween Party Committee 1; Peabody Prom Committee; White Elephant Sale.

Gay and carefree, Edna well knows how to adorn her figure becomingly . . . her smile brightens any classroom.

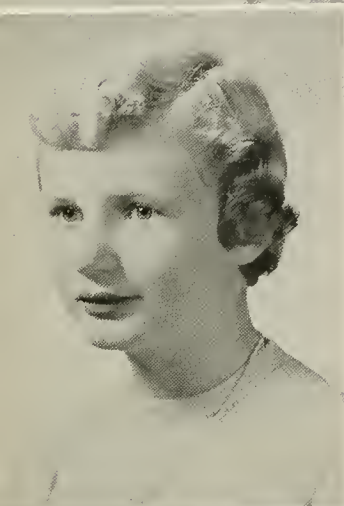
SULLIVAN, EMILY

"EMM"

159 Spruce Road

Sophomore Party Committee; Junior Prom Committee; Class Officer 3; Ticket Seller 1; Senior Musicales; Cheerleader 2, 3; Glee Club 1, 2.

Our popular head cheerleader with a fashionable wardrobe always becoming to her nice figure . . . Emm's got personality and Paul, too.



SULLIVAN, NANCY

"NAN"

37 Press Avenue

Sophomore Christmas Committee; Student Council Officer 3; Senior Prom Committee; Senior Musicales; Band 1, 2, 3; Election Commission 3.

A halo of golden hair, a sweet smile, and that extra something makes Nancy a darling majorette.

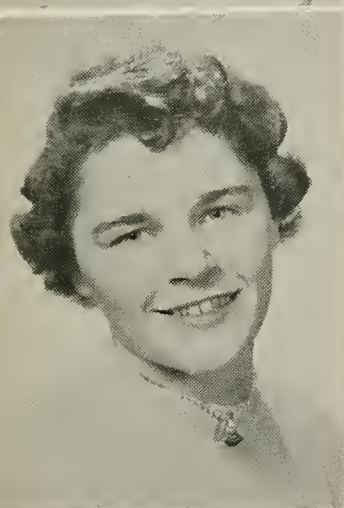
SUTHERLAND, SHIRLEY

"SHIRL"

40 Hill Street

Sophomore Christmas Committee; Student Council 2, 3; Junior Prom Committee; Traffic Squad; Senior Musicales; Football Programs 2, 3; Election Commission 3.

Bauncy blonde brimming over with youth and vigor . . . refreshingly unsophisticated . . . always adorably dressed.



SWANSON, PRISCILLA

"CIL"

239 Sheridan Street, North Easton

Senior Musicales; Halloween Party Committee; White Elephant Sale; Christmas Sale; Peabody Prom Committee. *Earnest and efficient, "Cil" will be taps either in the business world or homemaking for Rickie.*

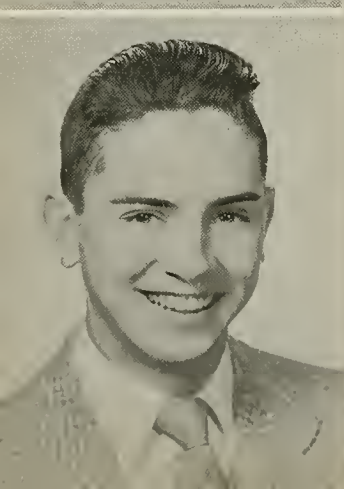
TAYLOR, MARGARET ANN

"MARGIE"

346 Lenox Street

Sophomore Christmas Committee; Junior Prom Committee; Senior Prom Committee; Senior Musicales.

A muffled giggle, then peals of laughter are Margie's warnings that mischief is afoot . . . she's a friend worth having.



THEALL, JOHN JOSEPH

"JACK"

121 Rock Street

Sophomore Party Committee; Junior Prom Committee; Student Council 1, 2; Senior Musicales! Yearbook Advertising Co-Editor

Good looking with a nice personality . . . poised and versatile . . . especially enjoyed by the girls.

THOMAS, PAULINE ANN

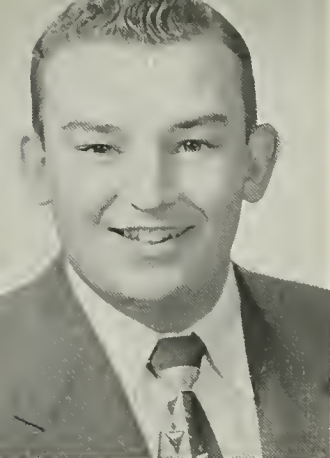
"PAULIE"

25 Lydon Street

Sophomore Party Committee; Student Council 2, 3; Junior Prom Committee; Ticket Seller 1, 2; Class Play Committee; Senior Musicales; Yearbook Business Committee; Glee Club 1, 3; Election Commission 3; Traffic Squad.

Ever ready to assist in school projects . . . Pauline possesses gleaming locks and a winning personality.





THOMPSON, ALAN CHARLES "BUTTERBALL"
70 Prospect Street

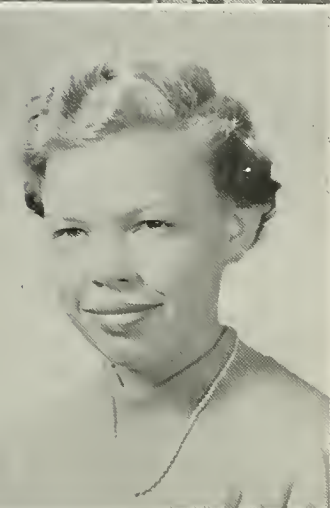
Class Day '55; Halloween Party Committee; Parents' Night; White Elephant Sale 2, 3; Christmas Sale 2, 3; Senior Musicale.

Agreeable and cordial . . . Alan's desire is to become a chef, something which should come easily to him.

THOMPSON, JOAN "JO-JO"
43 Chickering Road

Sophomore Christmas Committee; Traffic Squad; Class Play Cast; Yearbook Circulation Committee; Orchestra 1, 2, 3; Band 1, 2, 3; Glee Club 1, 2; Election Commission 3; Basketball 1, 2, 3; Tennis 1, 2, 3.

Ready, willing and able both athletically and scholastically . . . an amiable and easy manner plus a contagious smile.



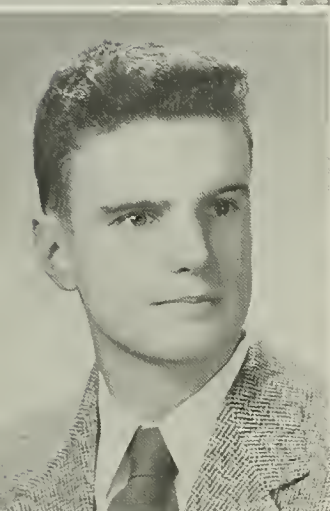
THURBER, ANN
60 Pond Street, Natick

Senior Musicale; Glee Club 1, 2; Bulletin Board Committee; Prom Committee; White Elephant Sale 1, 2, 3; Christmas Sale 1, 2, 3; Christmas Pageant; Fashion Show. *This quiet Miss has had her share of bad luck but she always manages to come up smiling.*

TILTON, DANIEL JOSEPH "DIGBY"
89 Hill Street

Sophomore Christmas Committee; Junior Prom Committee; Senior Musicale; Hockey Manager 3.

A laughing, humorous lad . . . finds pleasure in everything . . . life is a bowl of cherries to Danny.



TOOMEY, PAUL
3 Kenwood Drive

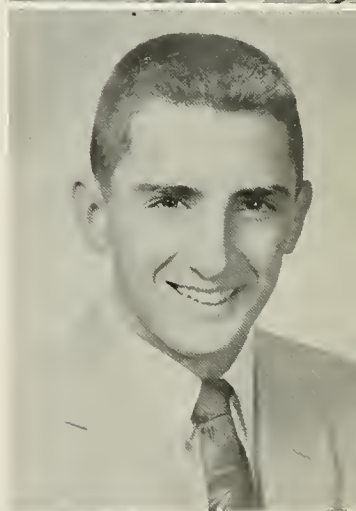
Sophomore Christmas Committee; Junior Prom Committee; Senior Musicale.

Neat and conservative . . . at ease with the world . . . has definite views on everything.

TRACEY, ARTHUR JOHN "ART"
415 Winter Street

Senior Musicale; Football Dance Committee; Baseball 1, 2, 3; Track 2, 3; Football 1, 2, 3.

A versatile athlete . . . shines on the gridiron, court and diamond . . . Art has a passion for old cars.



TRACY, MAUREEN ELLEN "MAUZ"
63 Walnut Avenue

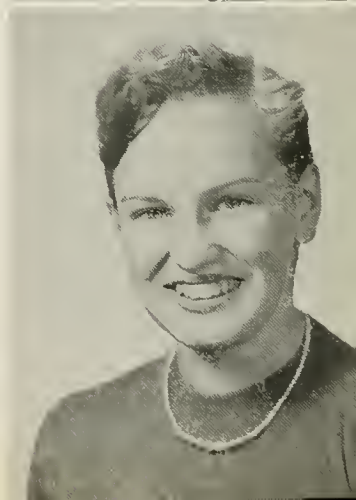
Sophomore Party Committee; Student Council 3; Junior Prom Committee; Class Day '55; Traffic Squad; Senior Musicale; Basketball 1, 2, 3.

Lustrous chestnut hair . . . a radiant complexion . . . Maureen is the Venus of our class with her tall and stately figure.

TRAVIS, SHIRLEY ANN "SHIRL"
139 Washington Street

Sophomore Party Committee; Junior Prom Committee; Senior Prom Committee; Senior Musicale; Yearbook Typing Committee; Class Day '55.

One of N.H.S.'s petite group, Shirley heads Lin's List . . . her pleasant personality makes her a welcome addition to any group.





WAHE, MIRJA HILLEVI

24 Gardner Road

"MIMI"

Assembly Committee; Student Council; Traffic Squad;
Class Play Committee; Senior Musicales; Orchestra 3.

*An accomplished violinist and scholar . . . delightful
combination of seriousness, sincerity, and a spirit of fun
. . . our first Exchange Student is an A-1 advertisement
for Finland.*

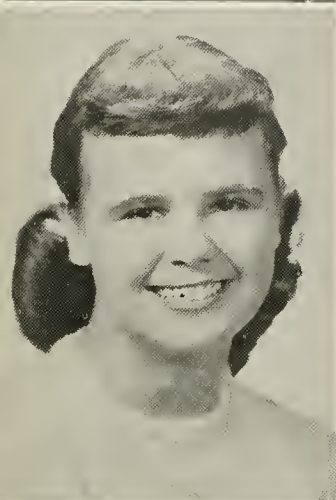
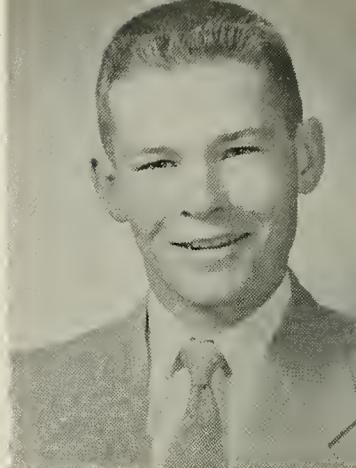
WALSH, RICHARD THOMAS

8 Maxwell Avenue

"STINGER"

Senior Prom Committee; Senior Musicales; Baseball 1;
Football 1; Track 2, 3; Intramural Basketball 1, 2, 3;
Hockey 1, 2, 3; Golf 3.

*A merry jocose lad . . . a real hustler on ice . . . an
enjoyable companion any time.*



WEBBER, ROSEMARY ELIZABETH "SCATTERBRAIN"

437 Pleasant Street

Sophomore Party Committee; Senior Prom Committee;
Senior Musicales; Yearbook Business Committee; Tennis
1; Basketball 1, 2, 3; Halloween Party Committee.

*An olive complexion, supplemented by dark hair and
dancing eyes . . . an exquisite taste in clothes, modeled
on a top-notch figure . . . loves conversation.*

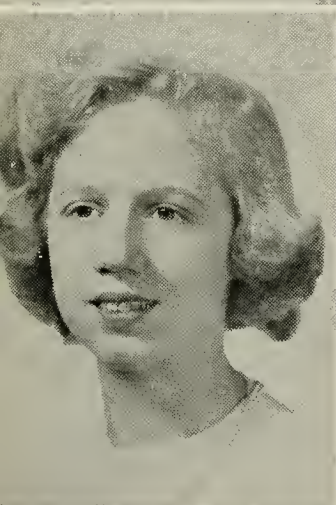
WELCH, GERALDINE ANN

27 West Street

"GERRY"

Sophomore Party Committee; Junior Prom Committee;
Class Day '55; Traffic Squad; Senior Prom Committee;
Class Play Committee; Senior Musicales.

*Fresh from the cover of "Seventeen", Gerry has many
friends. Her sunny smile always breaks through even on
those blue Mondays.*



WELNICKI, ARLENE MAY

4 Ryan Street, Randolph

Senior Musicales; Glee Club 2; Parents' Night; White
Elephant Sale; Christmas Sale.

*Ever willing to "debate". . . Arlene is a persevering
individual . . . always up to mischief.*

WENSTROM, ALICE

39 Phillips Avenue

Sophomore Party Committee; Junior Prom Committee;
Class Day '55; Senior Musicales; Football Dance Committee.

*Ever ready to assist in an emergency . . . Alice is quieter
than most, but she holds her own when she believes
she's right.*



WHITMARSH, CAROL JEANETTE

46 Railroad Avenue

Sophomore Christmas Committee; Junior Prom Committee;
Senior Prom Committee; Senior Musicales.

*Carol may be seen buzzing about in her Buick with a
great many friends . . . her hair is a glowing asset.*

WHITNEY, JOHN ANTHONY

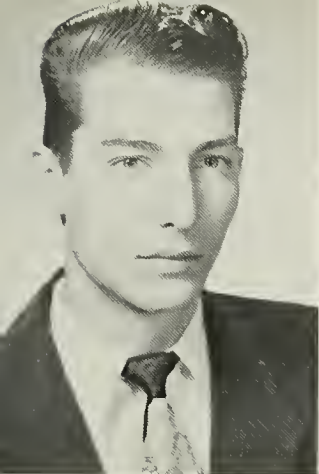
409 Prospect Street

"JACK"

Sophomore Christmas Committee; Graduation Usher '55;
Senior Prom Committee; Class Play Committee; Senior
Musicales; Yearbook Advertising Staff.

*A level-headed businessman . . . enjoys swimming and
fishing . . . at home on the dance floor.*





WILLETT, CHARLES EUGENE "CHUCK"
31 Oolah Avenue

Sophomore Christmas Committee; Assembly Committee 3; Senior Prom Committee; Class Play Committee; Senior Musicale.

An appealing air about him . . . has a definite viewpoint on everything . . . a connoisseur of good times.

WILSON, MARY MARGARET
91 Metacomet Street, Medfield

Class Day '55; Senior Musicale; Glee Club 2; Halloween Party Committee; Parents' Night; Christmas Sale 2, 3; Christmas Pageant; Dance Club 3.

A beautiful blonde, Mary's co-operative attitude has been a boon in all our class ventures.



YOUNG, JANICE MAE "JAN"
266 Lennox Street

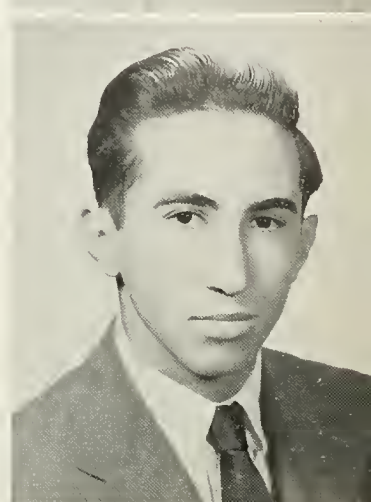
Hilltop Highlights 2; Senior Musicale; Peabody Writer; Parents' Night; White Elephant Sale 3; Christmas Sale 3; Operetta Committee 2; Senior Prom Committee.

Versatile and ingenious, Janice possesses a fabulous imagination, a candid tongue, and a very likable disposition.

ZILFI, ZABRI "SONNY"
172 Walpole

Sophomore Christmas Committee; Junior Prom Committee; Senior Musicale.

Witty but also dependable . . . has many friends . . . never a dull moment when Sonny's around.



"MIMI"

Mirja Wahe, better known as "Mimi" came to us in September of 1955, as a Foreign Exchange Student from Finland. She was introduced to the student body by Mr. Hayden at an assembly in October.

Mimi was called upon many times to speak before various audiences, and she lent a helping hand in many aspects of our school activities. Because of her friendliness and willingness to help, she came to be an integral part of our school life.

The foreign language students held a very successful party and record hop as a welcome to Mimi. A song was composed for her and was sung by the three hundred students. Songs in French and Spanish were sung and Mimi played a violin solo and spoke about the history of the Finnish flag and about "Finlandia," the Finnish national anthem.

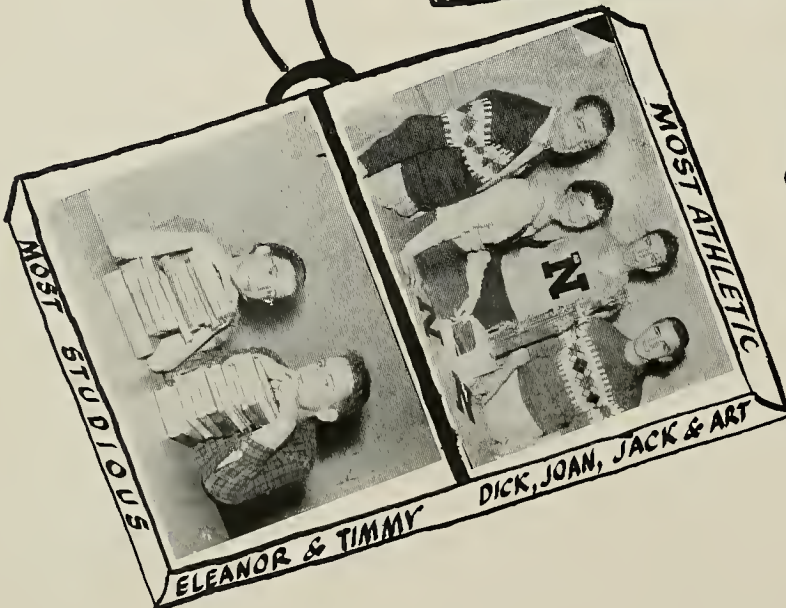
On Thanksgiving a large basket of fruit was given to Mimi by the Gracious Living Class. She is shown holding the basket in the accompanying picture.

As a Christmas gift from the foreign language students, Mimi was presented with a school ring. The Senior Yearbook staff presented her with her class pictures and a copy of the Tiot.

Although Mimi was with us for only one year, she will always remain in our memories as a gracious symbol of international good-will.

D.B. '56

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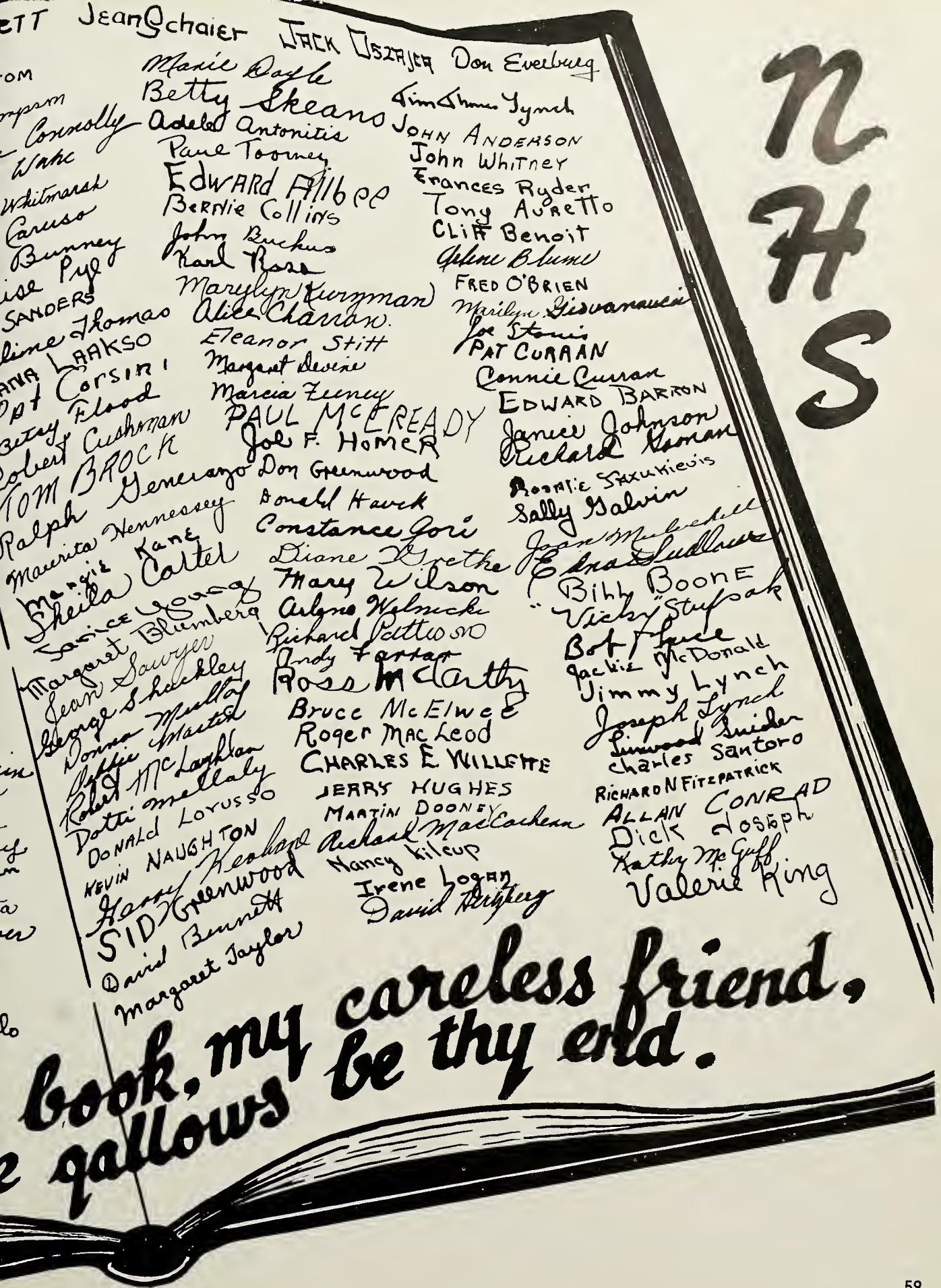
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ALLAN CONRAD
Dick Joseph
Kathy McGuff
Valerie King

book, my careless friend,
gallows be thy end.



Peabody



*“Books! Books! Books!
And we thank thee, God,
For the light in them
And the might in them,
For the urge in them,
And the surge in them,
For the souls they wake
And the paths they break,
For the gong in them
And the song in them,
For the throngs of folks
They bring to us
And the songs of hope
They sing to us.”*



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PEABODY CO-OPERATIVE ASSOCIATION

Smith, Cedarfield, Lipinsky, Kosiba, Watts, Eckhardt, Feeney, Elliot, Angus, Beckwith, Mrs. Beardsell, Miss Page.

Our first field trip this year was to the Rodgers and Hammerstein musical comedy, "The King and I." Adapted from the novel, "Anna and the King of Siam," it proved to be both entertaining and educational.

October was launched with the election of the Student Co-operative Association. The new Executive Board of the Association sponsored a class in dancing and social manners to all students who wished to attend classes during the activities period.

The first big event in November was Parents' Night, when a series of tours was conducted by student guides. During the social hour the Peabody Glee Club sang and a one-act play was presented by the Junior Class. Refreshments, prepared by our own catering students, were served.

The traditional Thanksgiving dinner climaxed November, and we all began preparation for the annual Christmas Sale. The Christmas dinner, served by the teachers, was enjoyed by all.

Another leaf on the calendar was turned, and the month of January was upon us with the White Elephant Sale. February was met with enthusiasm because we all were eagerly awaiting the skating party.

The social year was highlighted by the prom which also took place in February. The decorations were based on Valentine's Day as a theme.

During the last month of our school year, the Juniors held the annual "Step Party," a lawn party, for the Seniors. Yes, we are happy to be graduating and are looking forward to bright futures; and although we leave our beloved "Peabody," in reality, we will never sever the ties that bind us to the school that has meant so much to our happiness. J. M. Y. '56

"All that mankind has done, thought, gained or been is lying as in magic preservation in the pages of books."

FOODS

Students receive excellent training as caterers, chefs, tea room assistants, pastry cooks, bakers, and restaurant helpers. Our graduates are placed in many outstanding food establishments of New England.



TEA ROOM KITCHEN

The Tea Room Kitchen is a busy and efficient area with seniors preparing well-balanced and attractive meals which are served by this department annually.



BEAUTY

Placement opportunities as beauty operators and manicurists with future advancements to stylist or facial specialist are available for our graduates who consistently maintain high standards of performance.





Their School Days are Varied and
Interesting

BUSINESS

Our employable graduates are assured interesting positions as secretaries, stenographers, clerks, and business machine operators. The one-year training they receive is on a vocational level and prepares graduates for responsible initial office positions.



ART

In the art department color and design, as applied to each trade, is accented, as well as an appreciation of art in general. The department is called into action at all school activities or whenever its skill is needed.



FASHIONS

Fashion training enables a graduate to select a future position from any one of the following fields . . . designing, pattern drafting, sample making, fitting, power-stitching, or retail buying. Several graduates have established their own businesses.

Most Versatile—Most Popular



CHARLENE ROGERS

Best Disposition



CLAIRE FLAHERTY

Most Likely to Succeed



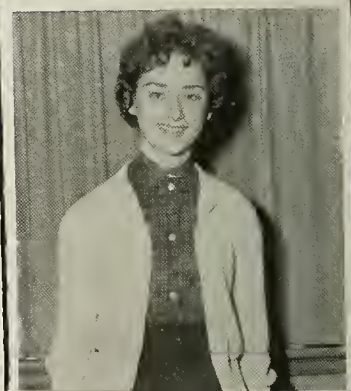
BETTY JOHNSON

Best Dressed



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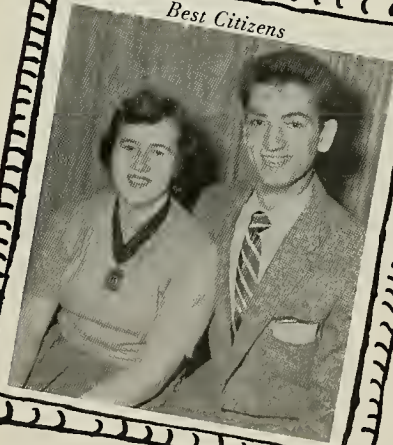
Best Looking



PATRICIA PIPER

Peabody Personalities

Best Citizens



ENOLA KNAPP CYRIL SMITH

Best Students



BETTY JOHNSON JANICE YOUNG

Writers



JANICE YOUNG
BEVERLY GALUSHA



PEABODY NEWSHOUNDS

Dexter, Stupak, Berry, Coutu, Watts, Cronin, Johnson, Hutchinson, Legare, Flansbury, Miss Riley.

THE PEABODY PRESS CLUB KEEPS THE PUBLIC INFORMED

The Peabody School is proud of its Press Club which is under the direction of Mrs. Goepner, but during her illness Miss Riley graciously has offered her services to the group. The press representatives meet each week with their advisor to prepare their news items for publication.

Each division of the Beauty Culture, Foods, Dressmaking, and Business courses has its own chosen press representative who gleans the news for our newspaper column. The members are: Irene Stupak, Joan Berry, Rosemarie Coutu, Judith Watts, Joan Flansbury, Margaret Blumberg, John Connolly, and Carolyn Paige, who take great interest in and have accepted the responsibility of writing about our school.

Each week a column of the *Norwood Messenger* is allotted to the "Peabody Personalities." The various activities of both students and teachers are published. For the third year this publicity is helping to make the people of the community aware of the various opportunities offered to the young people of the school.

We feel that our Press Club is an excellent public relations service and hope it will continue for many years to serve both the school and the community. B.L.G. '56

"Of the things that man can do or make here below, by far the most momentous, wonderful, and worthy are the things we call books."

Boys' Vocational School

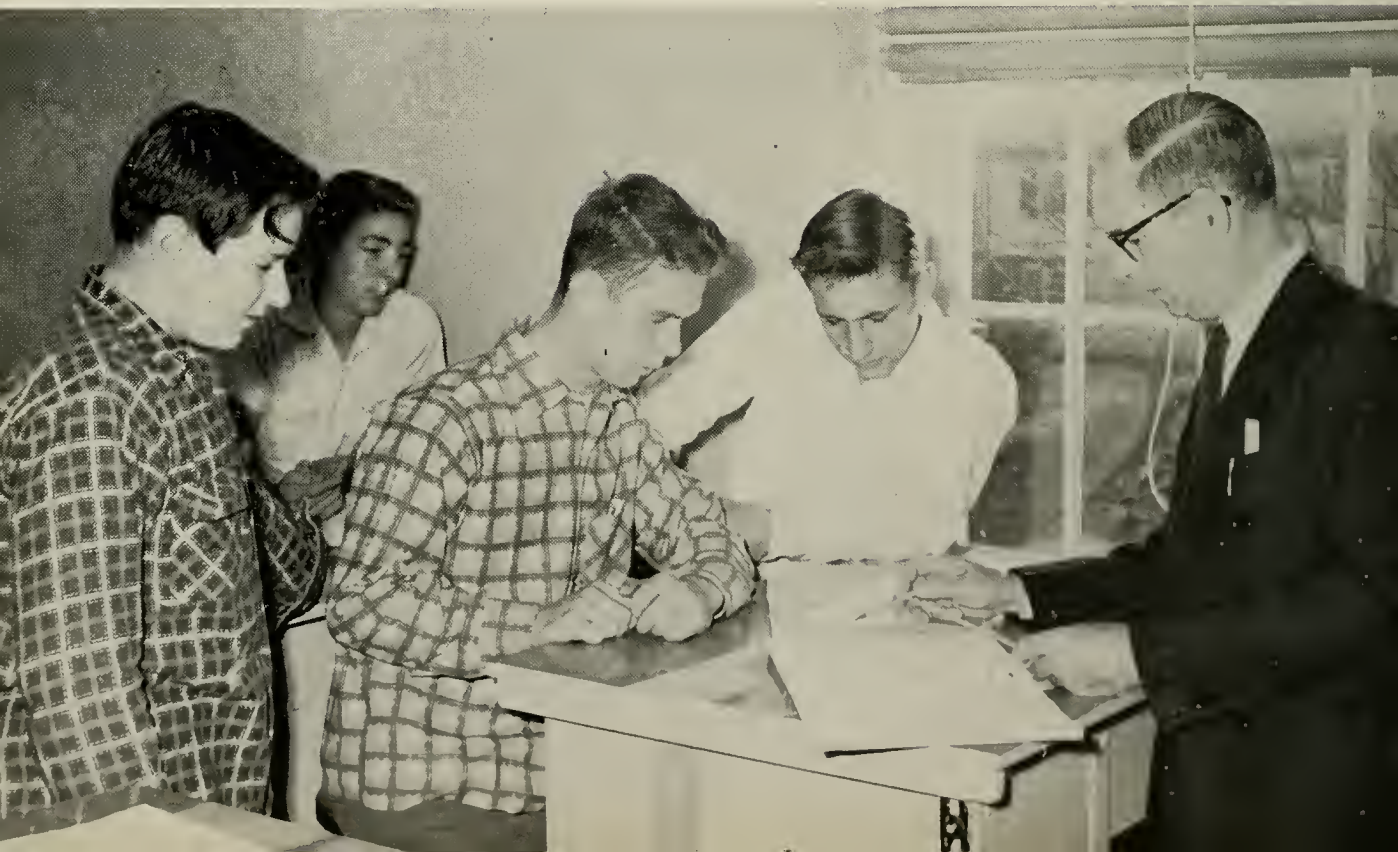
*When Man Realizes His Littleness
His Greatness Can Appear*

The boys in the vocational group of the class of 1956 make the twelfth graduating class to complete their training and depart to serve as craftsmen in the field of Cabinet-Making.

This splendid group of artisans have, during their three years of training, shown a real interest, ingenuity, and skill in their chosen trade. By uniting theory with practice they have seen, in the course of time, how interesting and fascinating it is when their entire project is completed, the feeling of pride and satisfaction, in knowing a job has been well done.

The Cabinet-Making course places a heavy emphasis on the "why" as well as the "how" of the business, for it has been proven that the men who get ahead in the trade are the men who know theory as well as practice. C.A.W.

*"Give me a book
And the world may frown,
My fortunes may soar
Or glide gracefully down.
Give me a book, and
Contentment I'll know
For a book is a comrade
In weal or in woe."*





The Shop is a Beehive of Activity



Superior Workmanship is Shown Here



"Mighty Miterers"
Conrad, Naughton, Santoro, Mr. Lugton.



Getting "Stuck-up"
Barton and Bruno



BOYS' VOCATIONAL GROUP

First row: Barton, Bruno, Lorusso, Willette, Santoro, Dooney, Naughton, Carmichel, Langille.
Second row: Watkins, Marchand, Hanscom, Thomashay, Shepard, Connolly, Legley, Richardson, Fitzpatrick. Third row: Ostrom, Hixson, Crowley, Ducharme, Griffin, Giandomenico, Ferrick, Webber, Naff.

Undergrads



*“Books! Books! Books!
And we thank thee, God,
For the deep in them
For the rhythmic swing
And the sweep in them,
For the croon in them,
For the boon in them,
For the prayers they say
And the doubts they slay,
For the DO in them
And the true in them,
For the blue skies they bring to us
And the new stars they strew to us.”*



JUNIOR OFFICERS

Hardford, Collins, Gulla, Foley, Butters, Peckham, Novick.

THE JUNIORS HAD A JOYOUS YEAR

When in September of 1955, the Class of '57 trudged back to the School on the Hill, we found ourselves gazing up at the seniors and down at the sophomores. In other words we were just plain "in-between." Now, oh happy day, we could pin the label "sophs" on someone else.

Soon, after we had accustomed ourselves to the steady grind once more, the task of electing officers came around. The following capable group was elected: President, Peter Foley; Vice President, Leslie Novick; Secretary, Joan Butters; Girls' Treasurer, Dolores Peckham; Boys' Treasurer, Richard Gulla; Girls' A.A. Representative, Marsha Hartford; and Boys' A.A. Representative, Dennis Collins.

Among our most promising gridiron stars were Bill Wenstrom, Bob Pillsbury, Martin Kuperatz, Bob Dalton, Charles Shannon, Pete Glebus, Jack Cooke, Joe Carchedi, and Pete Smith. We're sure they'll lead us on to victory next year.

April brought the date of the most important event on our social calendar, our Junior Prom. The lovely decorations and orchestra greatly contributed to the success of the evening which we'll never forget.

Not too long afterwards another happy year drew to a close. Now came the time for our "hail and farewell" to the seniors; so we set about preparing for Class Day, after which we could look forward to becoming the "big brass" of N. H. S. S.D. '57

*"Books give not wisdom where none was before
But where some is, there reading makes it more!"*



Room 106—MISS COUGHLIN

First row: E. Burke, M. Burke, Cass, E. Burke, Blazis, Bond, Bainton, Bilotta. Second row: Cloherty, Anderson, Carchedi, R. Cofsky, Bowler, Bilotta, Ahern. Third row: Callahan, Arvidson, Barrett, W. Cofsky, Barron, Bassett, Cammarata.



Room 210—MISS METCALF

First row: M. Connolly, Feeney, Doyle, Ellis, Dundulis, Diettrich, Elias, Davis, Doucette. Second row: Collins, Fitzgibbons, Cottrell, Devine, Curran, DeCosta, J. Connolly, Driscoll. Third row: Flansbury, Dalton, Cooke, Fogg, Cronan, Crosby, Devine, Donnelly.



Room 202—MR. GORMLEY

First row: Franciosa, Gatchell, Galvin, Iodice, E. Jacobs, J. Jacobs, Fowler, Gottlieb, Hermanson. Second row: Hill, Hinds, Hartford, M. Foley, Griffin, Grilley, Graney, Mr. Gormley. Third row: Glebus, G. Groh, Gotham, Goba, Giordano, R. Groh, Gulla, Hertzberg. Fourth row: Forbes, Henic, Graham, Goba, Foley, Hoeg, D. Johnson, E. Johnson.



Room 133—MR. FLAHERTY

First row: King, Lorusso, McNally, Lawson, Kinder, Lajoie, LaRouche, Markowicz, McManus. Second row: McDonough, McDonagh, Lane, Kelly, Maguire, McDavitt, Leahy, Mr. Flaherty. Third row: MacClellan, Lamminen, Lovell, McCarthy, Maxon, Maglio, Laakso, Kuporatz.



MR. KENEFICK—Room 205

First row: Peckham, McQuaid, O'Riordan, Murphy, Perry, Patten, Miller, McNulty, Porazzo, Naughton. Second row: Nelson, Nettle, Pitts, Narbut, Nado, Metcalf, Pike, Mr. Kenefick. Third row: Nixon, Pillsbury, Ostrom, Nado, Paul, O'Neil, Murphy, McNutt.



MISS ELLIOTT—Room 204

First row: Skeans, Sullivan, Shea, Pratt, Porazzo, Ryan, Puopulo, Rizzo. Second row: Rafuse, Stonefield, Schoppee, Taggart, Shea, Smith. Third row: Porazzo, Rennie, Shannon, Steves, Robinson, Rioux, Rakauskas.



Room 220—MR. DUNN

First row: Thompson, Trudeau, Yelapi, Troilo, Thornton, White, Thomas, J. Taylor. Second row: Torres, E. Taylor, Walsh, Wall, Valentinas, Tomasello, Wheaton. Third row: Toomey, Treciokas, Traudt, Walsh, Wenstrom, White, Ziskind.

*"He ate and drank the precious words,
His spirit grew robust;
He knew no more that he was poor,
Nor that his frame was dust.*

*He danced along the dingy days,
And this bequest of wings
Was but a Book. What liberty
A loosened spirit brings!"*



SOPHOMORE OFFICERS

Ross, Eppich, Pierce, Pelletier, Gore, Sansone, Armour

THE SOPHOMORES GROW UP

Those great towering white pillars seemed over-powering as we gazed up at them on that nineteenth day of September, 1955. We entered timidly into the vast recesses of our new home on the hill.

Soon, however, we gained confidence in ourselves and became accustomed to the new classrooms, and long corridors, and we became adapted to our new instructors.

As a part of our growing up, we practiced the democratic poll-voting where we elected our Sophomore class officers. Under the efficient leadership of Peter Sansone, President; Elaine Pierce, Vice President; Faye Ross, Secretary; Rebecca Pelletier, Girls' Treasurer; Margaret Eppich, Boys' Treasurer; Arthur Armour, Girls' A. A. and Kenneth Gore, Boys' A. A.; our Sophomore class had a very successful year.

The Sophomore Party, held on October twenty-seventh was outstanding. The hidden talent in the class was brought to light by our able emcee, Kevin Dixon. The combined efforts of Mary Lou Curran, Mary Ellen Welch, William Balfour, Maureen Kelter, Elaine Chamberland, Margaret Eppich, Barbara Collins, Liliias Pierpont, James Gordon, John Griffin, Paul Connolly, Brian Drummey, Becky Pelletier, and Nancy Newman made our first high school dance truly "Moments to Remember."

We presented the annual Christmas pageant at which Mary Ellen Welch's solo, "Ave Maria," was very inspiring and appreciated by all.

Now as we are finishing our first year in The Norwood Senior High School, we have grown up considerably and the columns now seem the welcoming porticoes of a loved haven. N. N. '58

"The love of books is the golden key that opens the enchanted door."



Room 212—MISS JOHNGREN

First row: Bergman, Bagley, Bothwell, Alukonis, Brown, Berry, Barss, Burns, Boone. Second row: Bean, Banford, Broderick, Cady, M. Balfour, W. Balfour, J. Balfour. Third row: Butters, Brock, Burns, Anderson, Bartell, Barone, Borsa. Fourth row: Armour, Barrett, Bright, Anderson, Bitar, Baldwin.



Room 132—MISS O'SULLIVAN

First row: Collins, M. Curran, Cole, Corish, E. Chamberlain, Conger, Corbett, Deeb, A. Connolly, J. Donahue. Second row: Croteau, Corso, Carlson, Carlson, Cummings, Dempsey, Cotter, M. Connolly, E. Donovan, A. Donahue. Third row: Curtin, N. Curran, Doran, Campisano, Cameron, D. Donovan, K. Chamberland. Fourth row: Corcoran, Drummey, T. Connolly, P. Connolly, Donahue, Dixon, Carchedi.



Room 122—MISS McGONAGLE

First row: Hanscom, Gallagher, Harnett, Holden, Ellis, Eppich, Eisnor, R. Gugliotta, Freni, Hennessey. Second row: Ferrara, Greenwood, A. Gugliotta, T. Gordon, Glebus, Dulkis, Galusha, E. Feeney. Third row: Miss McGonagle, Grew, Durbin, Flaherty, M. Feeney, Geary, Gore. Fourth row: Ferris, Green, J. Gordon, Griffin, Groves, Grenon, Foley, Goba.



Room 117—MR. LEARNARD

First row: Livingstone, Hilliard, Horgan, Howard, La Civita, Hurley, Jackson, Hobart, Honeth. Second row: Kelter, Iksala, La Civita, LeGay, Johnson, Kady, Joseph, Mr. Learnard. Third row: Hoar, Johnston, Kulsa, Jenks, L. Johnson, A. Johnson, Joy. Fourth row: Lane, Lazarro, Kennedy, Kay, Knoll.



Room 131—MISS COLEMAN

First row: Newell, Norton, McManus, McDargh, Martin, Mahar, J. MacKinnon, McNulty, McAuliffe, M. MacKinnon. Second row: Murphy, Newman, McKinnon, Mahoney, MacCormack, Manning, McKenna, Millen, Nelson. Third row: Lowe, Moynihan, McMann, Malcinski, Makarewicz, Lorusso, Markowicz, Muir. Fourth row: Mollenhaur, McGowan, Murray, Narbut, Morin, MacEachern.



Room 221—MR. FAIRBANKS

First row: Pierpont, Obergfell, Peachey, Picard, Pudsey, Rafuse, Ruotolo, Rogan, Pelletier. Second row: Pierce, E. Ridikas, Saarinen, O'Brien, Pidzewick, Purpura, Ross, Nordblom, E. Ridikas. Third row: E. O'Connor, Parker, O'Keeffe, Rowland, P. O'Connor, O'Donnell. Fourth row: O'Leary, Restall, Pellowe, Noonan, Quinn, Poirier, Palsic.

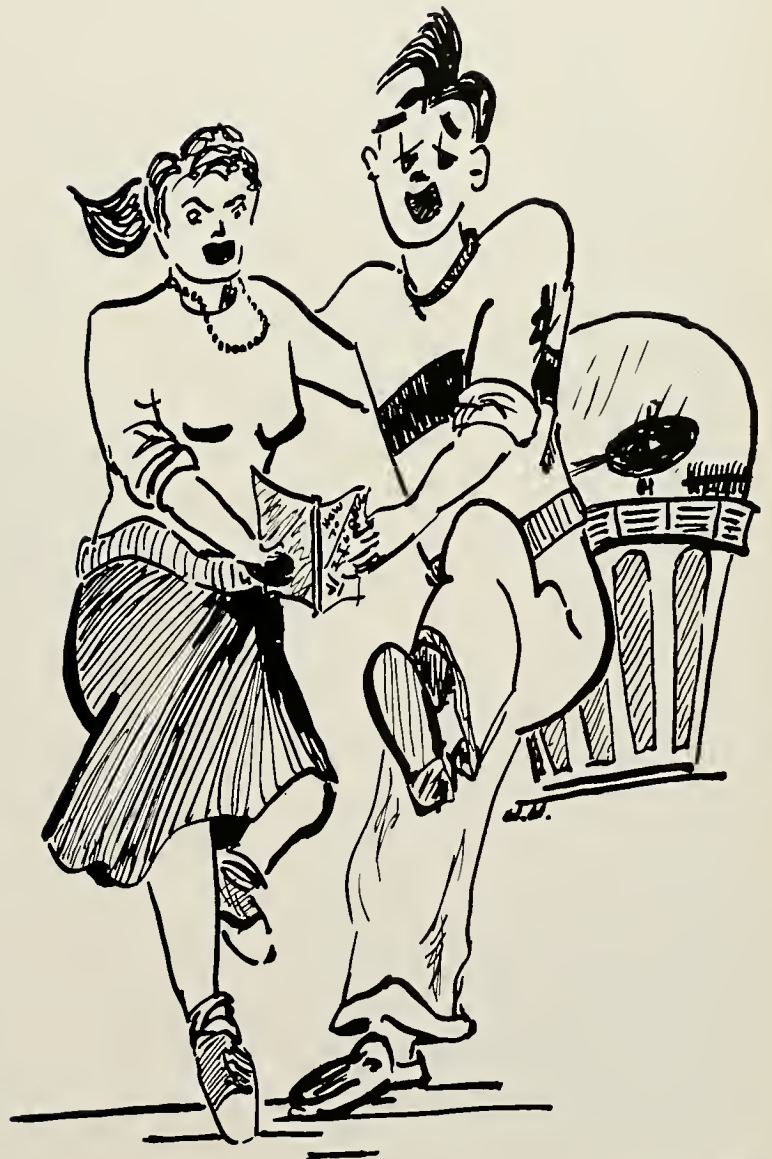


Room 222—MR. FISHER

First row: TenEyck, Welch, Sweeney, Sutherland, Weiland, Wennberg, Wenstrom, Wojdag, Vitartis.
 Second row: White, Stuck, Strassunskas, Wood, Vasquez, Stupak, Mr. Fisher. Third row: Scholz,
 Sansone, Tessicini, Thornton, Thayer, Williamson, Sieracki, Sullivan.

*"Pictures are windows to any lands,
 But a Book is a door that ready stands
 To him who will open and go outside
 Where the rivers and plains are free and wide
 Pictures are windows through which we look,
 But the door of the world is just a Book."*

Activities



*"An hour with a book would have
brought to his mind
The secret that took him a whole year
to find;
The facts that he learned at enormous
expense
Were all on a library shelf to commence.
Alas! for our hero; too busy to read,
He was also too busy, it proved, to
succeed.
We may win without credit or backing
or style,
We may win without energy, skill or a
smile,
Without patience or aptitude, purpose
or wit . . .
We may even succeed if we are lacking
in grit;
But take it from me as a mighty safe
hint;
A civilized man cannot win without
print."*



*Cheer
for*

EMILIE



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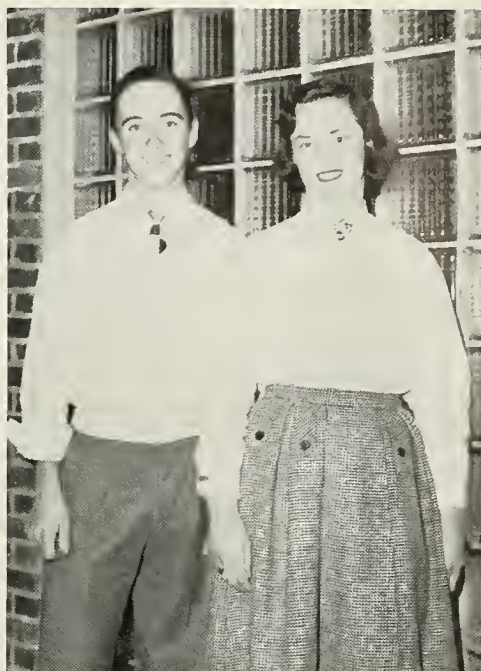


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STUDENT COUNCIL MEMBERS

First row: C. Foley, Logan, Sullivan, Griffin, Lynch, Kent, Butters, D. Johnson. Second row: Caruso, Feeney, Dowd, Russell, McGuff, Graney, Tracy, Doucette, Smith, Thomas. Third row: Drummey, Armour, Santoro, Homer, O'Leary, P. Foley, Callahan, Keohane, Padden, Gulla.

THE STUDENT COUNCIL STUDIES AND COUNCILS

The Student Council of 1955-56 had a successful year under the leadership of Timothy Lynch, President; Richard Griffin, Vice President; Virginia Kent, Recording Secretary; Joan Butters, Corresponding Secretary; Nancy Sullivan, Treasurer; and the Executive Board which consisted of Coleman Foley, Chairman; Pauline Thomas, Mary Dowd, Kathleen McGuff, Donald Greenwood, and Robert Walsh.

The first highlight of the season was the traditional "Autumn Frolic." The theme for the decorations for this affair was taken from the currently popular song, "Autumn Leaves." This dance was both a financial and social success.

The Council, which helped to bring our foreign exchange student Mirja Wahe, from Finland, is enjoying her as a member of the council. She with four other members attended the Eastern Massachusetts Student Council Conference held on December 3, at Melrose High School.

Joan Butters and Donald Greenwood were elected to represent us at the meetings of the Norwood Community Council this year.

Our new Student Handbook was ready for distribution when school opened this fall, and we feel that it compares favorably with those of high schools in this area.

The Council is continuing its support of all school activities and projects. The meetings have been very active ones, and we are especially grateful for a very responsive Sophomore group.

To Miss Mary Hubbard, our Faculty Advisor and friend, we express our deepest gratitude. We also thank our principal, Mr. Charles A. Hayden, for his continued interest and cooperation. V. K. '56

"Books are a finer world within the world."



STUDENT COUNCIL OFFICERS

First row: Kent, Greenwood, Thomas. Second row: Sullivan, McGuff, Foley. Third row: Butters, Dowd, Griffin. Standing: Lynch.



STUDENT COUNCIL ALTERNATES

First row: Giovanucci, Sutherland, LaCivita, Welch, Lynch, Eppich, Curran, McKinnon, Newman. Second row: Burke, Pelletier, King, Shannon, McKenna, Green, Wheaton, Ellis, Butters, Boardman, Naughton, Collins.



Autumn Frolic

November 18, 1955





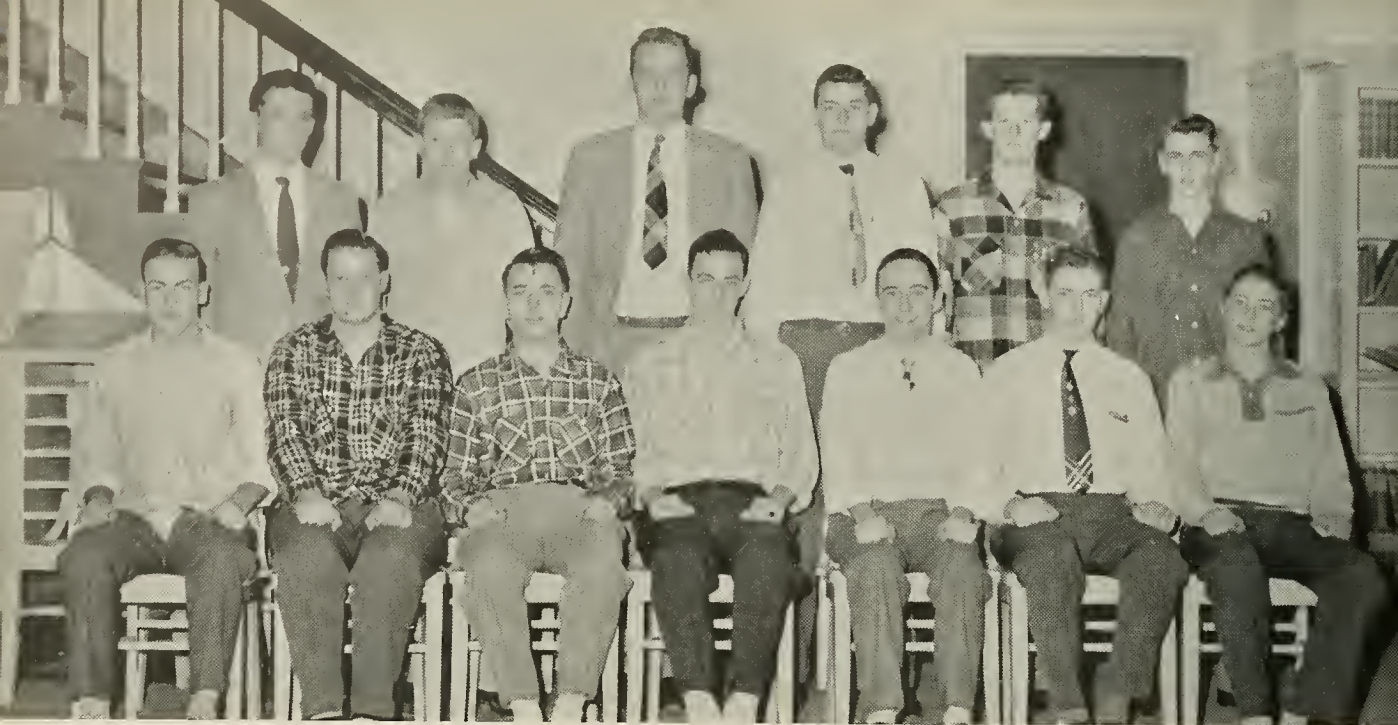
Photography Club

First row: Donahue, Thompson, Fogg, Mr. Sullivan, Connolly, Pike, Schoppee. Second row: Oszejca, Stonefield, Donahue, O'Brien, Rakauskas, Leahy, Cushman, Ziskind.



Ticket Sellers

First row: Mullane, M. Feeney, Flook, Trudeau, M. Devine, B. Devine, Burke, Cottrell. Second row: Jacobs, Fowler, Ryan, Driscoll, DeCosta, Connolly, Troilo. Third row: Rizzo, S. Feeney, Perry, Miller, Dietrich, Hoar.



Boys' Traffic Squad

First row: Greenwood, Sanders, King, Newark, Drummey, Corbett, Bagley. Second row: Anderson, Brock, Lynch, Foley, Cronin, Conley.



Girls' Traffic Squad

First row: Sansone, Hutchings, Laakso, Flood, Feeny, Boardman, Dowd, Russell, Marsh. Second row: Charron, Connolly, Balduf, Berglund, Stitt, Strout, Ryder, E. Johnson, Kilcup, Giovannuci. Third row: Fruci, Sutherland, Tracy, Mercier, Thompson, Kane, Sastavickas, Schaier, Thomas.



RUMOR REPORTERS

Marsh, Pelletier, Corbett, Bagley, Sansone, Sutherland, McDavitt, Kent, Doucette, Drummey.

THE FOOTBALL PROGRAM COMMITTEE IS ALWAYS ALERT

Early in the year a small group of experienced eavesdroppers were commissioned members of the Football Program Committee or, as they were more commonly called, Official Rumour Reporters. It was their duty to obtain, by fair means or foul, that news which the student body so anticipated at every home game. These amateur Joe Friday's were equipped with a pencil, paper and long-range hearing equipment so that each new item in the categories of "Who's going with who?" and "Who isn't anymore?" could be properly brought to everyone's attention.

Incidentally, line-ups were published, as well, to be read during the game, and for added enjoyment the team's vital statistics and secret ambitions were truthfully divulged. As for the statistics on the cheerleaders, their confessions were colored up a bit.

All concerned with this very active enterprise at N. H. S. have enjoyed the venture, and even if they have perhaps lost a few friends along the way, others have been pleased with their publicity. M. M. '56

"Education begins with the gentleman, but reading, good company, and reflection must finish him."

They See All, Know All

HILLTOP HIGHLIGHT reporters are Norwood High School Students who act as school correspondents for the two local newspapers. These students prepare the news of "The School on the Hill" for publication on a weekly basis. A two-fold aim is thereby effected, in that these students, who are interested in journalism, are provided with training and practice in the basic units of journalistic writing, and they attempt to interpret their school to the local community through the medium of the press. The prepared and edited news copy is typed by senior typing students as a regular class exercise.

Virginia Kent, Sheila Graney, and Elaine Jacobs are concerned with the editorial aspect of this activity while Adele Antonitis, Carolyn Connolly and Betty Skeans prepare the manuscripts for publication. The news is published under the heading "Hill-top Highlights" in both the Norwood Messenger and the Norwood Tribune.

*"Golden volumes' riches treasures
Object of delicious pleasures."*



HILLTOP HIGHLIGHTERS

First row: Connolly, Antonitis. Second row: Jacobs, Skeans. Third row: Kent, Graney.



F.T.A.

Seated: Lynch, Bainton, King, Schaier, Boardman, Russell, Dixon. Standing: Smith, Sansone, Dowd, Johnson, Hertzburg, Berglund, Butters, Mellally, Balduf, Murphy.

Meetings of the Dwight D. Eisenhower Future Teachers of America Club were resumed in our High School the first Wednesday in October. Officers were: Jean Schaier, President; Elizabeth Bainton, Vice President; Dorcas Boardman, Treasurer; Olivia Russell, Recording Secretary; Lois Balduf, Corresponding Secretary; Margaret Smith, Librarian.

We were very happy to have a great number of sophomores, both boys and girls, seek membership in the club. Realizing these people will be the leaders of the FTA very soon, we were gratified to feel that all had the qualities necessary to be a good teacher.

Preceding Education Week last November, we placed colorful posters throughout the town to induce townspeople to visit their schools. We distributed more than two thousand flyers to school children.

As in former years, many of the members have learned to keep a teacher's register and have turned in the monthly reports throughout the year.

We have continued to provide items about our school for each issue of our local paper. Each article is boxed and appears on the editorial page of the paper.

An auction, held in the spring, proved to be an even greater success than last year's auction. This year we again contributed to CARE'S "Food Crusade" and for the first time made a substantial contribution to the American Foundation for Overseas Blind. We were unanimous in wanting to make our biggest contribution this year to this worthy cause. J. S. '56

"I would rather be a poor man in a garret with plenty of books than a king who did not love reading."



Assembly Committee

Seated: Sansone, King, Strout, Laakso, Boardman, Johnson, Novick. Standing: Peckham, Porazzo, King, Doyle, Foley, King, Lipinsky, Marsh, Burke, Smith.

THE ASSEMBLY COMMITTEE IMPROVES THE SHINING HOUR

The assembly committee is composed of students from all three classes, sophomore, junior, and senior. It is under the direction of Mr. Martin O'Donnell, submaster.

It is the duty and pleasure of this committee to preview, when possible, and to plan the programs to be presented at our assemblies which are held on Fridays. Some programs are of a professional calibre but many are organized and developed by students.

Among the successful assemblies this year there have been: The Talented Violinist, Mr. Cavalieri; Mr. Charles King, well-known baritone; the Senior Play Review; the popular Thanksgiving football rally; the inspiring address of the Reverend Mr. Miller; the traditional Christmas Pageant; the musical presentation by the Glee Club and orchestra; and the Glenn L. Morris program called "On the Beam."

The assembly committee receives financial assistance from the Student Council, as well as from the student body of the High School and of the Peabody School.

The officers elected for this year are: Diane Laakso and Diane Strout, Co-Chairmen; Dorcas Boardman, Secretary; and Elaine Johnson, Treasurer.

D.L. '57

Books are ships which pass through the vast seas of time."



The Election Commission Is Mighty Important

First row: Sullivan, Sutherland, McGuff, Anderson, Berglund, Laakso, Dowd. Second row: Kent, Thomas, Griffin, Lynch, Foley, Greenwood, Thompson, Doucette.

The Election Commission for the school year 1955-1956 started its activities in October with annual class elections. This year its duties were increased by the results of the Junior Elections. Peter Foley and Robert Walsh were tied for the office of Class President, so it became necessary to hold another election. The Election Commission has charge of all school elections. It sets the dates, receives nominations, supervises the balloting and counting of all votes which have been cast, and publishes the results of all elections on the bulletin boards.

The work of this group is closely associated with the Student Council, as officers of the council assist the commission when help is needed.

The members of this year's Election Commission are: John Anderson, Chairman; Louise Berglund, Shirley Doucette, Diane Laakso, Joan Thompson, Peter Foley, Robert Walsh, Nancy Newman, Donald Johnston, and Richard Griffin. J. A. '56

"Books are the quietest and most constant of friends, they are the most accessible and wisest of counsellors, and the most patient of teachers."

"Father Knows Best"







Music by Our Orchestra Improves All Occasions

First row: Mercier, Bainton, King, Wahe, Mr. Fleck, Rizzo, Croteau, Corso, Gugliotta. Second row: Tessicini, McNutt, Ross, Connelley, Bassett, O'Brien, Schuller, Bitar, Ferris, Taube, Miller.

After the initial rehearsal weeks, with the help of our director Mr. Raymond Fleck, the orchestra was prepared for its numerous engagements of the year. It could be heard mornings in the assembly hall and provided fine entertainment at the annual music assemblies.

The orchestra played between acts of the Senior Play in December, and as always, was an essential part of the Senior musicale. It played during the annual Chamber of Commerce Banquet at which the winning high school essays were read.

Talented orchestra members are eligible to attend the annual Massachusetts All-State Music Festival with Mr. Fleck. Each year this festival is held in a different part of the state. Members attending it this year went to Pittsfield.

In June, the school year was brought to a successful musical conclusion by our performances at class day and graduation. Next year looks equally promising for our fine orchestra. V. K. '56

*"There is no frigate like a book
To take us lands away
Nor any coursers like a page
of prancing poetry."*



Junior-Senior Glee Club

First row: Bainton, Miller, Diettrich, Gatchell, Puopolo, Mr. Fleck, Perry, Chadbourne, Thompson, V. King, Caruso. Second row: Galvin, Feeney, Dowd, Russell, J. Anderson, McLaughlan, Everburg, H. Anderson, Traudt, Bennett, Macari, Connolly, Martin, Jazukievis. Rear: Bunney, Hoar, Rogan, Blume, Munson, Strout, P. Devine, Flood, L. Hertzburg, Mullane, Mellally, Kilcup, Gottlieb.



Sophomore Glee Club

First row: Murphy, Pudsey, Sweeney, Hartnett, Mr. Fleck, Hennessey, Newman, Burns, Corso. Second row: Corish, McKinnon, Gugliotta, Croteau, Joy, O'Donnell, Cole, Vasquez, Brown, Ross, Peachy, O'Brien Hoar. Third row: Wyman, Frangiosa, Martin, Boone, Pierpont, Welch, Curran, Mahar, Broderick, M. MacKinnon, McAuliffe, Vitartis, Freni, Joseph.



OFFICERS AND GENTLEMEN (?)
Gugliotta, King, Miller, Basset, Schuller, Corso.



THE BAND PLAYED ON

First row: N. Sullivan, Sideropoulos, Kane, M. Sullivan. Second row: Bainton, Sieracki, R. Croteau, Snyder, R. Ross, Clancy, Johnson, Miller, Rizzo, Diggs, Johnson. Third row: Mr. Farnum, King, Crawford, Gugliotta, Sastavickas, Eisnor, Melally, Thompson, B. Rock, Bev. Rock, Turchin, Giovannucchi, Corso, Cooper, Kurzman. Fourth row: C. Croteau, Campisano, Schuller, Ferri, Ross, Bitar, O'Brien, Basset, Connolly, Maloof, Tessicini, Septalka, Eckhart.



New

Band

Margie and Tina

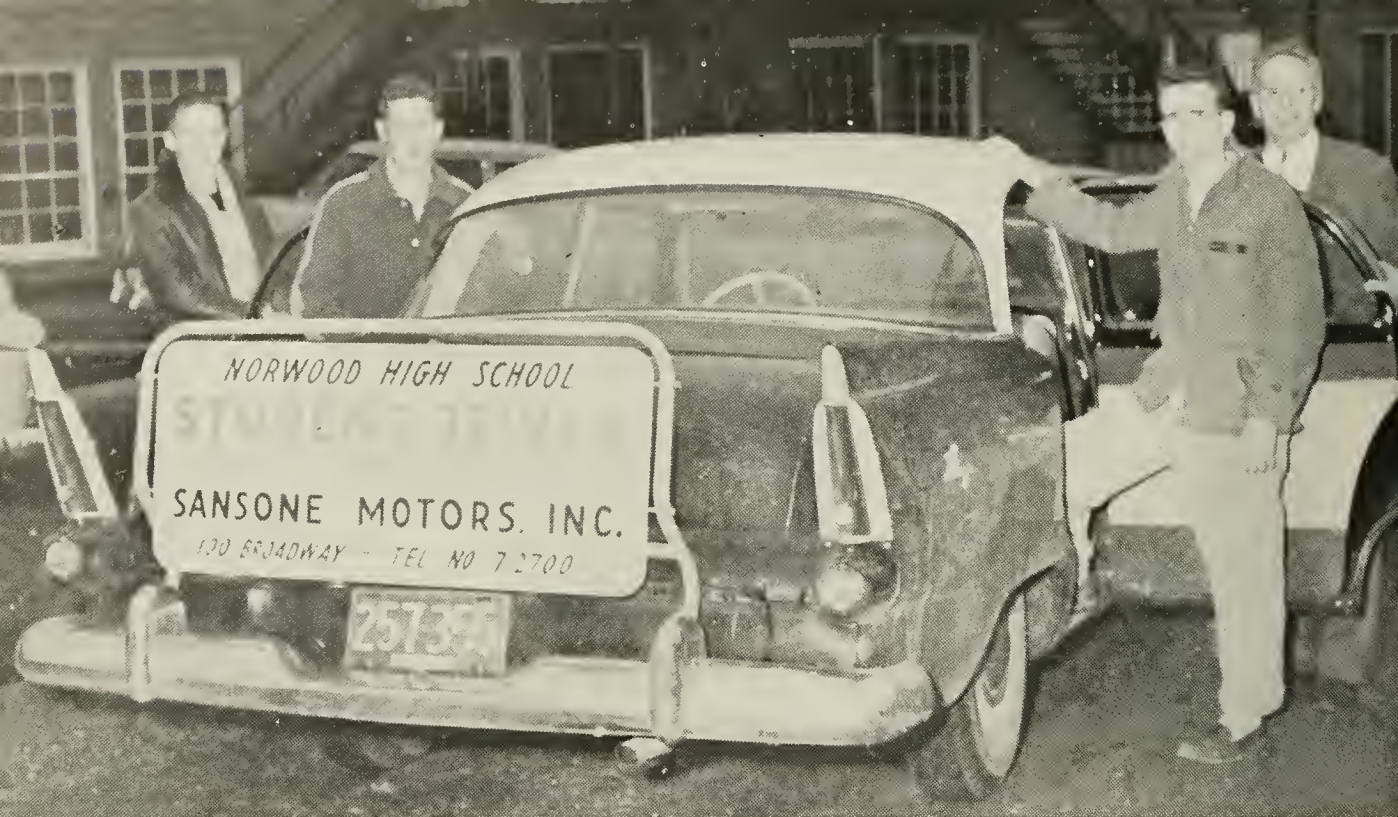
Maureen

Marilyn

Nancy

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Lead



Driver Education at N.H.S.

Drummev, McCarthy, Keohane, Mr. Fisher



Projection Club

First row: Thayer, Cameron, Butters, Kulsa, Lowe. Second row: Malakinski, Knoll, Dalton, Williamson, King, Flansbury.

Sports



*“This is what a book can do;
Take you where the skies are blue,
Take you where the laughter’s ringing,
And the eyes with love aglow,
Take you out of care and trouble
And the griefs which seem to double,
Take you far from wintry weather
And the fields of drifted snow.*

*This is what a book can do:
Build and strengthen you anew,
Give you fortitude and courage
When above a storm appears;
It can fashion and remake you
So that fate can never break you,
When your eyes are wet with tears.”
It can comfort and console*



Norwood's Finest

First row: Wenstrom, Corbett, co-captain; Ellis, co-captain; Alty, Pillsbury, Shannon, Kuperatz, Tracy, Goonan, Hughes, Dalton. Second row: Mr. Roche, coach; D. Butters, Joseph, McCarthy, Armstrong, Butters, M. Glebus, J. O'Connor, Albee, R. Connolly, P. Conley, P. Glebus, Cooke, O'Donnell, E. O'Connor, Rowe, manager; Mr. Scafati, head coach. Third row: Sullivan, Chamberlain, Griffin, J. Carchedi, Sansone, P. O'Connor, P. Smith, Feeney, Gore, Gordon, Greenwood, Curtin, Geary, Lorusso.

1955 FOOTBALL SEASON RESUME

This year our hefty eleven gridiron men made their own great records, and thus followed up a lofty Norwood High School tradition. The eleven mighty men in the Blue and White uniforms battered and racked all their opponents, even when they were not able to claim victory.

The boys opened the season in fighting spirit, and they worked hard at their opening game with Needham, but the experts of Needham were too much for us, and we came out on the short end of a long score, 27 to 7.

The gridders couldn't be beaten for long, however, and by next Saturday a complete recovery had been made. The boys crushed a veteran Belmont team by the score of 24 to 0, giving Belmont a real shock.

The boys were in the groove after that one, and there they stayed, following up that victory by bouncing from behind a one touchdown handicap to haffle an expert Framingham squad with a score of 12 to 7.

The local lads were unable to follow up their great start for a while, however. Games started to become tougher and tougher, and, though they fought long and hard, they lost to Braintree, 32 to 12.

Practiced Wellesley then crushed the Blue and White in the sad shutout score of 32 to 0.

Norwood put up a great defensive fight when 10-game winner Natick came to town, and Natick had to play its hardest game of the season to win by a 27 to 0 score.

It was not until the Dedham game, however, that the real power of the gridders came barrelling through and mauled Dedham in Norwood's fifth straight victory by a score of 12 to 6. Win or lose, the boys had what it takes when it came to sportsmanship and clean play and they were supported by a faithful group of loyal fans.

R. R. Z. '57



HUGHES



ARMSTRONG



ELLIS
Co-Captain



CONNOLLY



KUPERATZ



ROACH
SCARFATTI
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TRACY

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CORBETT
Co-Captain



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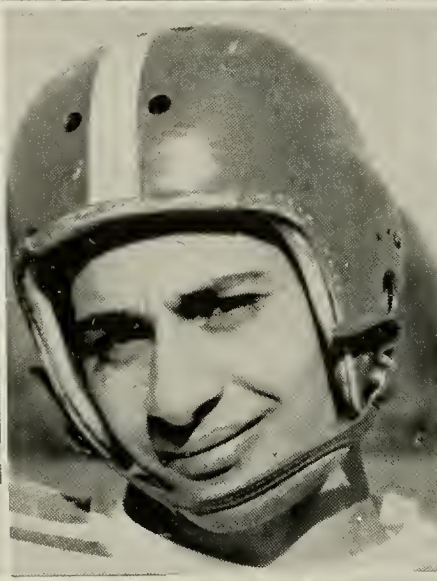
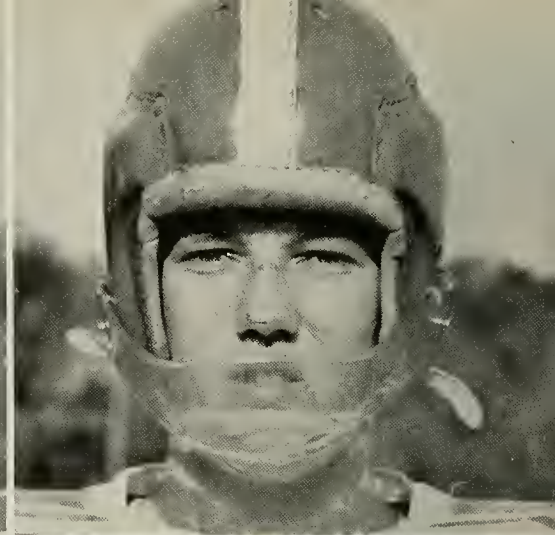
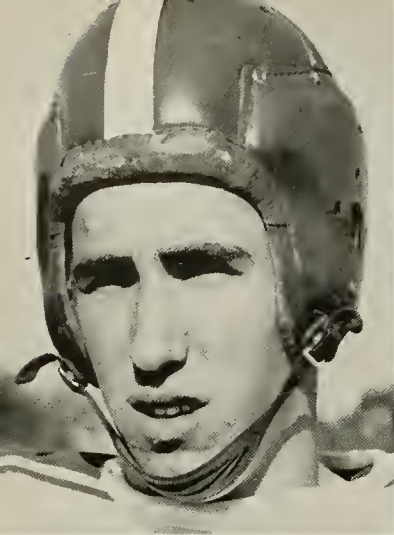


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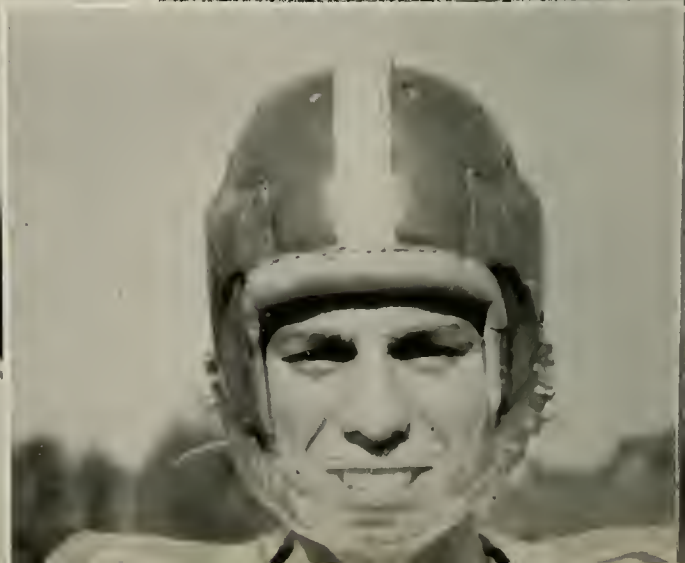
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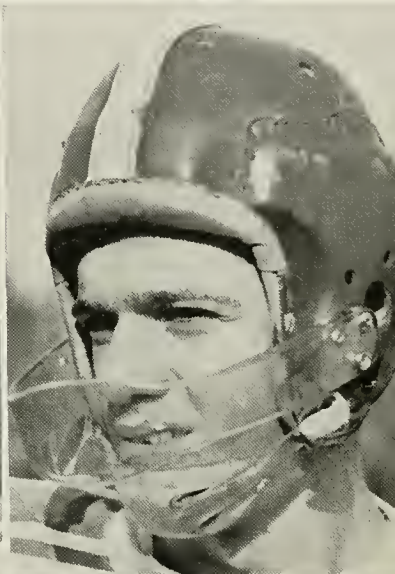


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"Mike"



"Clem"

"Dave" "Bump" "Paul"





"Coley"



"Stinger"



"Babe"

"Mush"

"Nobbo"





Hockey Squad

First row: Coach Ronan, Abely, Walt, Co-Capt. Kelley, Co-Capt. C. Foley, Newark, Walsh Alty.
 Second row: Goba, J. Moynihan, Conley, Lane, T. Moynihan, Valentinas, Arvidson, Tilton.
 Third row: Taylor, Connolly, Lamminen, Gordon, McDonagh, P. Foley, Poirier, Patten.

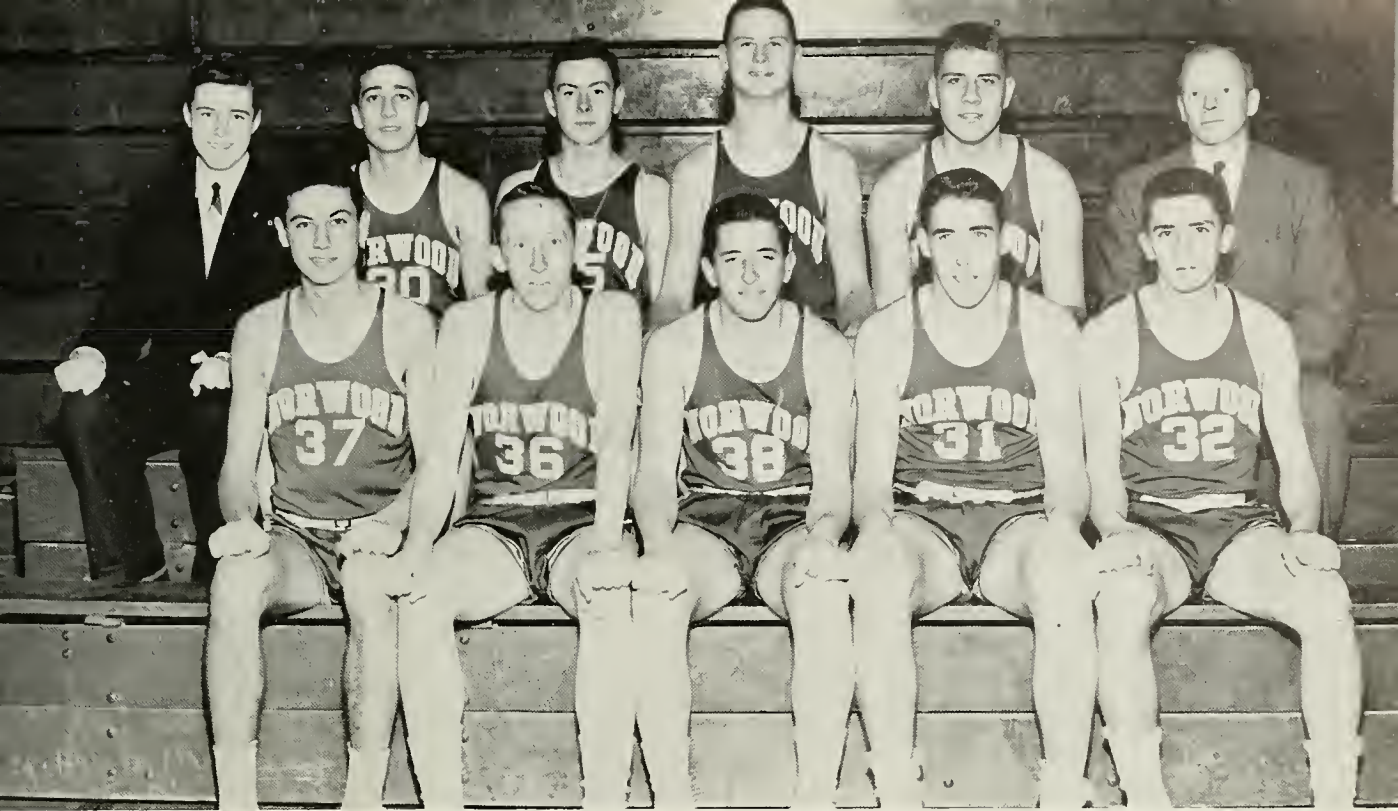
"WERE THEY HOT ON THE ICE!"

With Coach George Ronan showing the way to our ice-stars, the hockey team of '55-'56 had a fine season, ending the "ice-fest" second only to Walpole. Before large enthusiastic crowds the kings of the ice strutted their stuff, showing real skill in the handling of that slippery puck!

Norwood started off the season with a show of talent as they downed Framingham, 2-1. The pucksters followed it up with an even better score, beating Watertown, 2 to 0. Wellesley fell next to the ever-battling hockey squad, by the monumental score of 5-0. All looked beautiful, but Norwood's ominous rivals, Needham, clouded the horizon by defeating our lads, 2-1. The boys came back with a vengeance, when they won out over a crack Walpole squad, 3-0. The rest of the season saw Norwood maintain a fighting position, beating Waltham, 3-1, and B.C. High 6-2.

The race for the Bay State Title was so tight that playoffs were necessary. Norwood went into these contests with high hopes, and succeeded in clinching a victory over Wellesley by a good score. The net men were sorely tried, however, in their following battle with Needham, which they lost by a margin of 3 goals, 3-0. Coming back with a will to win, Norwood succeeded in tying their arch-foes Walpole, 1-1, in a tightly fought battle. A second playoff game was necessary, and though the lads strove mightily, stronger Walpole took the Bay State crown by a score of 5-1. After a gamely-fought season, Norwood wound up in the second place slot of the league's lineup.

R. R. Z. '57



Basketball Varsity

First row: Aurretto, Curran, Generazzo, O'Connor, Tracey. Second row: Curran, Maguire, Barrett, Dixon, Kuperatz, Coach Richardson.

WE HAD OURSELVES A SEASON

Norwood's '55-'56 basketball season was the greatest in many years for the hoopsters, who matched the hockey squad by grabbing the second place on the Bay State League's merry-go-round. The court stars had the advantage of great height and lots of ability, and, under the direction of Coach Fred Richardson, our hoop generals amazed league pundits by overpowering such famed rivals as Natick, Needham, and Framingham.

The list of scores for the first seven games of the year looks like a leaf out of a coach's dreambook. It runs like this: Norwood 80, Walpole 36; Norwood 74, Natick 71 (a real shocker to the favored Natick squad); Norwood 94, Framington 80; Norwood 77, Wellesley 56; Norwood 83, Milton 51; Norwood 69, Dedham 31.

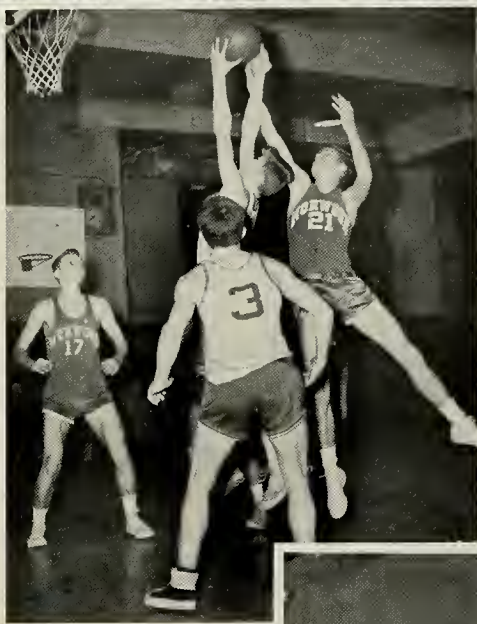
During the second round of the hoopsters' stand, the going got rougher, as surrounding teams were "out to get" the league-leading cagers. Norwood downed their strong opponents, Needham, and followed with a win over weak Walpole, 85-46. But our lucky star faded in the next week, and two losses came, one on the heels of the other. Natick downed the locals, 64-47, and Framingham squeezed a victory over our lads in a heartbreaking last second win, 64-62.

Back in winning style, Norwood downed Wellesley, 66-59, and Milton, 60-58, but then slipped to Needham, in another 2 point loss, 72-70. The cagers finished the season in fine fettle by downing their traditional foes, Dedham, with a healthy margin of 22 points over the Redmen, 74-52.

As we went to press our basketball lads were preparing for competition in the Tech Tournament, after as fine a season as Norwood has ever seen.



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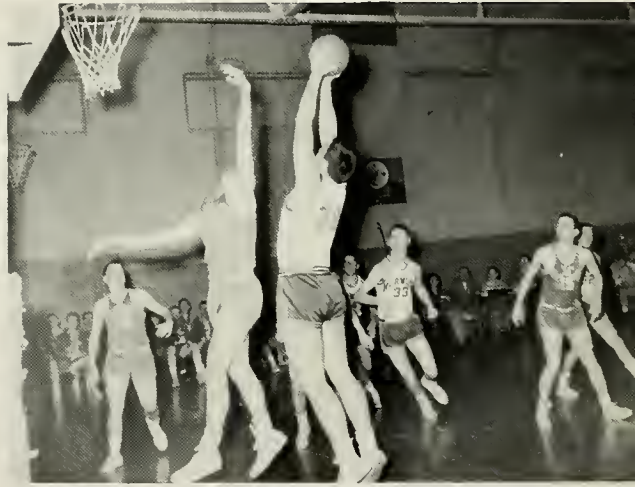
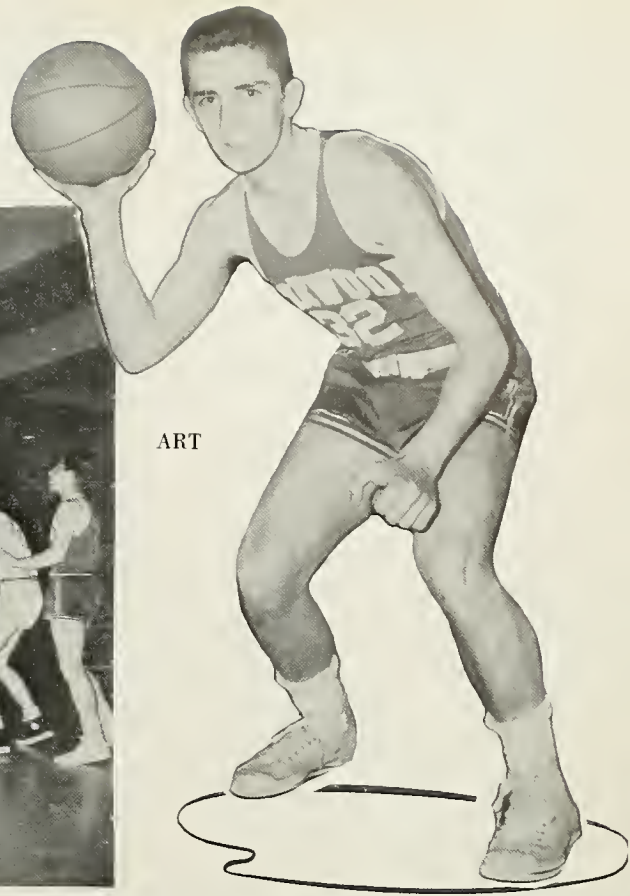
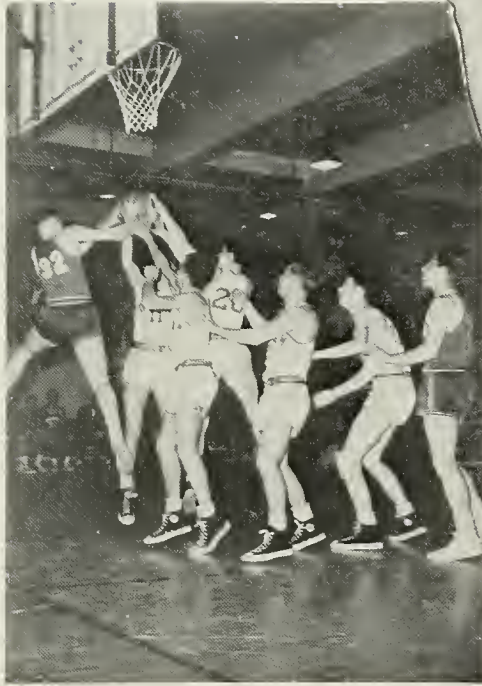


RALPH



JOCKO

Hot-Shots



PAT





Bevy of Basketball Beauties

Left to right: Ryder, Galusha, Berglund, Webber, Sansone, Capt. Thompson, Mellaly, Tracy, Russell, Sastavickas.

SHORT BUT SWEET

Our basketball team got off to an excellent start this year by defeating Walpole in the first game, but only after coming from behind at the half. A last minute basket by Rosemary Webber helped to clinch the victory. The score was 17-14.

Our game with Franklin was a more thrilling clash, as both teams were more evenly matched. Franklin outscored us in the first half, but, sparked by Margie Sastavickas and "Liz" Bunney, we were tied at the end of the official game. In a two minute overtime period, we held Franklin to a minimum of points while we racked up our winning score of 15-14.

Norwood traveled to Needham the next week and faced an outstanding team, that outscored us all the way. We lost by the stunning score of 53-12.

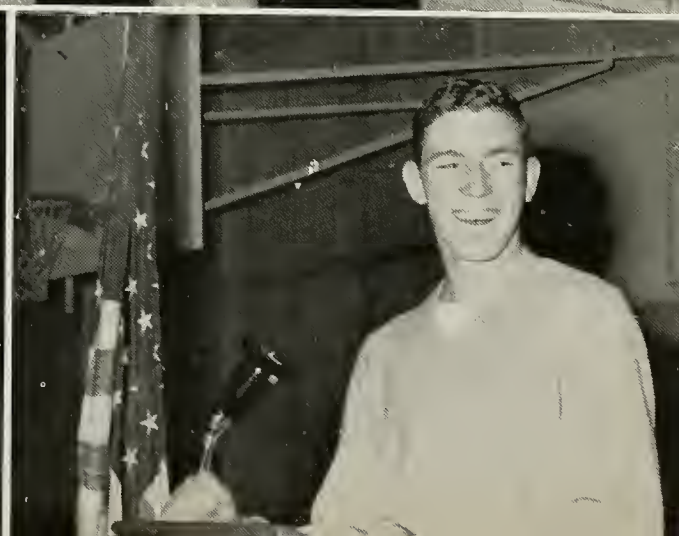
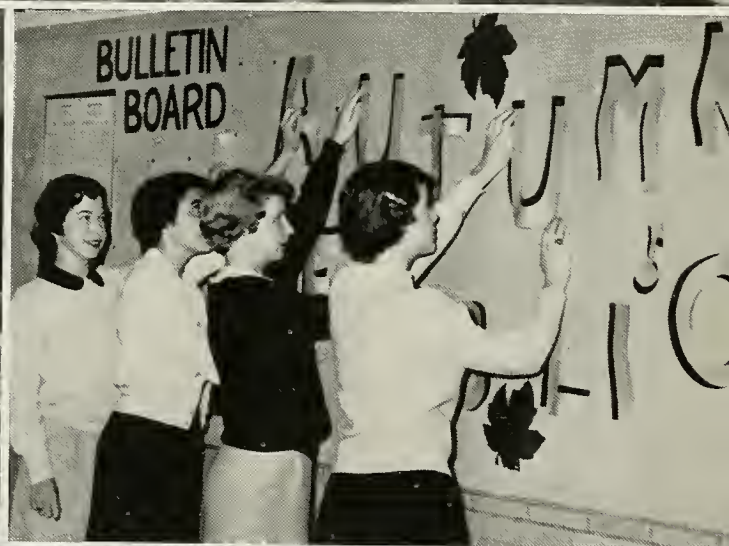
In our final game, we again met Walpole who was out to avenge its previous loss. Walpole took a slim lead and managed to maintain it despite the efforts of our guards, Dottie Mellaly, Nancy Sansone, and Joan Thompson, who nevertheless prevented Walpole from gaining a bigger lead. The final score was Walpole 14, Norwood 12.

Our season was short, but we broke even in the won and lost column, thus ending our basketball days at Norwood High School.

We wish at this time to express our gratitude to our coach and teacher, Miss Erna Kiley for her helpfulness to us.

J.T. '56

Books are the tree of life.



THE LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF THE CLASS OF 1956

We, the class of Nineteen Hundred and Fifty-Six, being of relatively sound mind and comparatively sound body, do hereby declare this to be our last will and testament, bequeathing our most treasured possessions to the most deserving undergraduates, and do proclaim all other testaments set forth in our name, null and void.

Article I—To Mr. Hayden we leave our deepest thanks and appreciation for guiding us through the maze of our high school careers and the promise that we shall remain “ladies and gentlemen always.”

Article II—To Miss Ryan we leave our admiration for her efficiency and a radioactive dial to detect open lockers.

Article III—To Mrs. Riley we leave our unending gratitude for helping us produce a memorable and outstanding yearbook. Also a giant size bottle of aspirin for all the yearbook headaches that must come her way.

Article IV—To Miss McCormack, our head Senior advisor, and all our Senior advisors we leave our grateful recognition for their advice and counsel during the trying times of our Senior year.

Article V—To all our regular teachers and all our substitute teachers we leave a few thousand words of commendation for their outstanding work this year.

Article VI—To Coach Scafati and Mr. Roach we leave a free trip to Florida next winter to thaw out their frozen football ears.

Article VII—To Miss Kiley we leave a year's supply of oranges for all those torrid and dry basketball games.

Article VIII—To Miss Steele we leave the strength to combat the mad rush on “pizza” and “turkey” days.

Article IX—To Mr. Learnard we leave a new case to transport all that pastry from the Peabody School.

Article X—To Miss Elliott we leave a special heater to help ward off the chills in 204.

Article XI—To Miss Canning we leave a will of iron to help her resist the pleas of those “desperately ill” boys.

Article XII—To Miss Johngren and Miss O'Sullivan we leave a special citation and a request for their successful recipe for friendship.

Article XIII—Miss McGonagle's typing classes leave with eardrums and nerves preserved, since she took pity on her charges and put away her ruler.

Article XIV—To Mr. Fisher, who gratefully eases his aching back from behind the wheel, we leave a two month reprieve from student drivers.

Article XV—The Student Council leaves the numerous accomplishments performed under the direction of Miss Hubbard and Timmy Lynch to the faculty and students.

Article XVI—To the custodians we bequeath four pairs of “Junior Jet” roller skates to help speed them on to answer the call.

Article XVII—To the Chemistry room we bequeath shatterproof glass and gas masks as a protection against unavoidable accidents.

Article XVIII—Emilie Sullivan leaves her pep, popularity, and penchant for hard work to Leslie Novick, the capable captain for '57.

Article XIX—The play cast leaves the long days of practice, terrible nervousness, and triumphant joy to next year's troupe of thespians.

Article XX—The Traffic Squad leaves to next year's protectors of the corridors and guardians of the law, those heavenly moments missed from classes.

Article XXI—The cheerleaders of '56 leave their vim, vigor, and vitality to the “lucky seven” of '57.

Article XXII—The Treasurers, Diana Laakso and Paul Butters, leave their ability to squeeze dues from unwilling pockets to next year's class bankers.

Article XXIII—Elizabeth Skeans and Nancy Sullivan leave their curly blond locks to all the brunettes. Remember, girls, if you can't do it one way, there's always another.

Article XXIV—Our football captains, Corbett and Ellis, leave behind their “will to win” to next year’s gridiron heroes.

Article XXV—Nancy Sansone leaves her engaging personality to Joan Butters.

Article XXVI—To all the Juniors and Sophomores we leave the peace of a secluded locker room and the promise of (ahem!) quiet lunch periods.

Article XXVII—Meredith Marsh and Jimmy Drummey leave their talent for organization to the head Tioeteers of 1957.

Article XXVIII—Nancy Kilcup, Joan Thompson, and Don Everburg leave their acting talent to next year’s theatrical stars.

Article XXIX—Frances Ryder bequeaths her enviable figure to Lois King, the Junior with the “classy chassis.”

Article XXX—Olivia Russell and Jack Oszejca leave their artistic talents to next year’s geniuses with a brush.

Article XXXI—Paul Butters and Nancy Sullivan leave their titles of best-dressed to next year’s style setters.

Article XXXII—Coleman Foley keeps the presidential gavel in the family by willing it to brother Peter.

Article XXXIII—Our illustrious pucksters leave their 4 a.m. jaunts to the Boston Arena to next year’s flying fools.

Article XXXIV—To the undergrads we leave the enjoyment of the new paint job and the warning “Hands off! Who knows when it will be painted again?”

Article XXXV—Advertising Editors, Dorcas Boardman and John Theall, and Circulation Editors, Jean Schaier and John Corbett, leave their worn and tired feet to those enterprising Juniors who will sally forth in search of ads and subscriptions next year.

Article XXXVI—To the School Committee we leave the request that no-school signals be sounded the night before so students can remain undisturbed in the morning.

Article XXXVII—To the undergrads we leave the hope of no report cards, no homework, easy chairs in the detention hall and a television set in every room.

Article XXXVIII—We leave our three year tenure on the hill reluctantly with happy memories which will last “forever and a day.”

In witness thereof, we have hereunto subscribed our names and affixed our seal on this eighth day of June in the Year of Our Lord, Nineteen Hundred and Fifty-Six.

The Class of Nineteen Hundred and Fifty-Six.

Witnesses

Olivia Russell



NORWOOD

Words and Melody by
JOHN F. WHEELOCK, 1913

Harmonized and Arranged by
G. ROY WALSH, 1913

INTROD.
Con Spirito

PIANO

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1. There's a school on the hill called Nor - wood, And her sons and daugh - ters
2. To the school on the hill called Nor - wood, And her flag of blue a -

too, Are — all the true sup - por - ters Of her glo - rious flag of
bove We will pledge our dear de - vo - tion And nev - er dy - ing

blue, And when - e'er her sons are fight - ing, And would rath - er die than
love, Al - though time may dim her mem - 'ry, And the years their change may

yield, You can hear the school that backs them up, Go sing-ing down the field—Oh
bring, We will still be true to Nor-wood High, And still we'll proud-ly sing?—Oh

cresc.

CHORUS

1. Nor-wood, dear Nor - wood— we sing to you, Lead on to vic - try
—2. Nor-wood, dear Nor - wood— we sing to you, We will be loy - al

'Neath our flag of blue, So Nor-wood, dear Nor - wood, we will stand by Here is a
To your flag of - blue, And Nor-wood, dear Nor - wood, as years roll by We'll give a

cheer Rah! Rah! Here is a cheer Rah! Rah! Cheer for Nor - wood High. Oh High!
cheer Rah! Rah! We'll give a cheer Rah! Rah! Cheer for Nor - wood High. Oh High!

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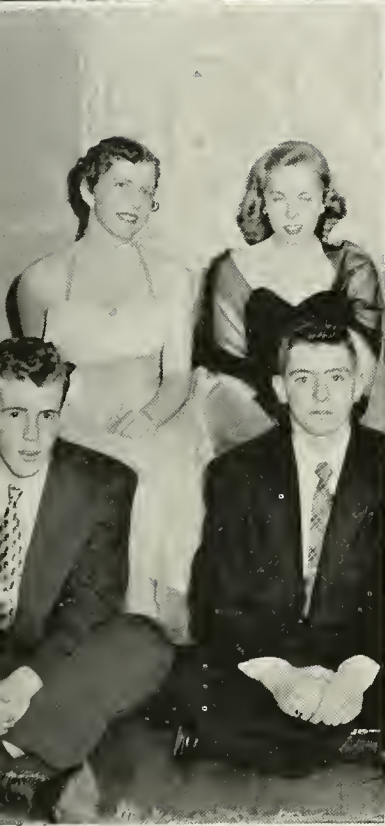
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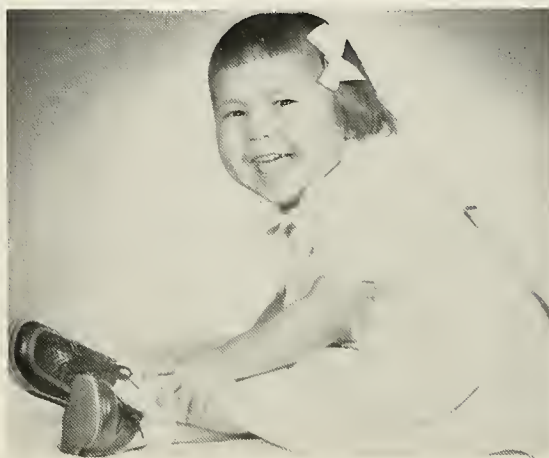
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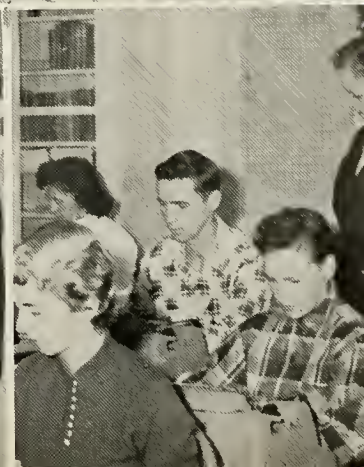
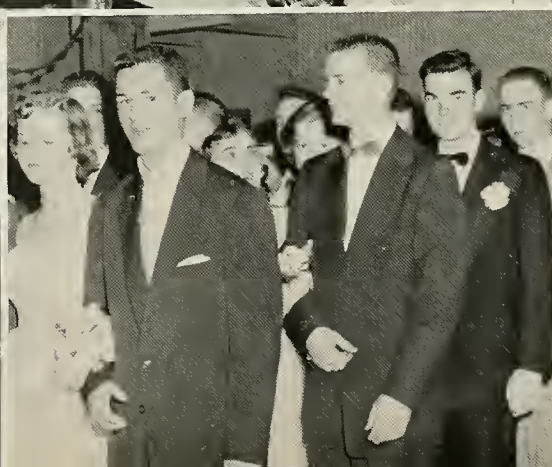
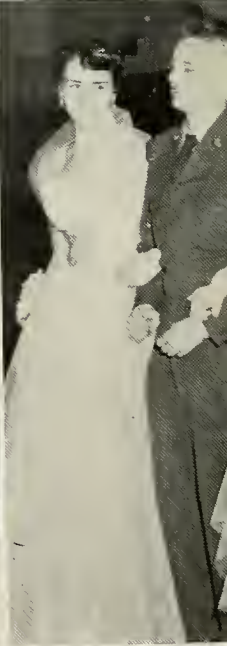
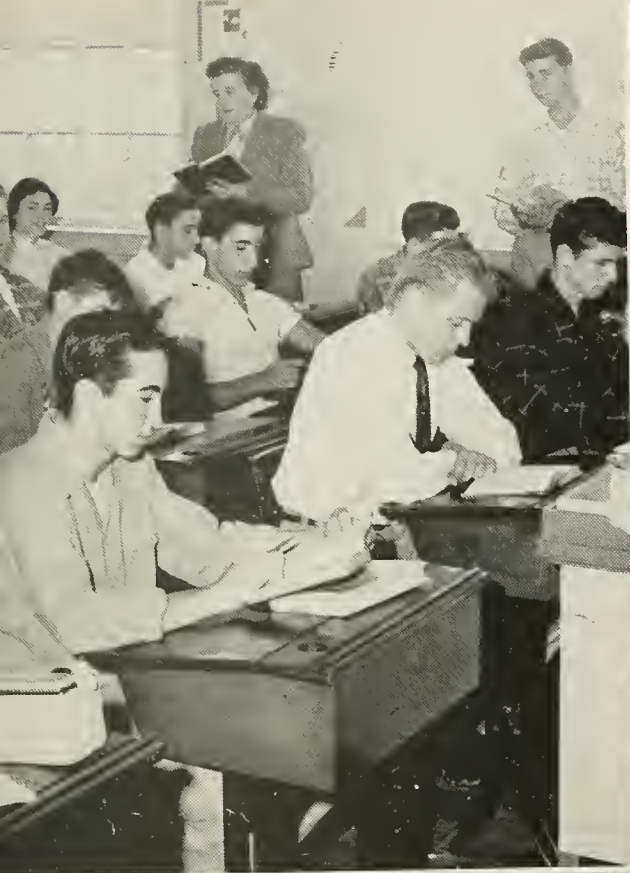
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